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CAUSED A SENSATION

Williams' Speech Excites the Bryan Meeting at Boston.

INVECTIVE AND DIRECT ACCUSATION

Mr. Bryan Greeted by a Large Gathering on the Commons and in Music Hall—Mr. Sewall Speaks and Says He Will Not Retire.

Boston, Sept. 26.—William Jennings Bryan arrived in Boston at 5:37 last evening. The delegation to meet Mr. Bryan consisted of Robert Treat Payne, jr., Timothy M. Coakley, F. A. Hobart, Major Henry Wynn, Frederick Crawford and Ernest C. Marshall. Hon. George Fred Williams came in on the train with Mr. Bryan, having gone on a train to Springfield to meet him. A great crowd was at the depot to see Mr. Bryan. The police had great trouble in keeping the people in order. Again and again the police made a noble stand to control the crowd, but each time they were forced up against the train which brought Mr. Bryan in. After a few minutes Mr. Bryan appeared upon the platform of his car. There was a cheer and a mighty rush by the crowd. The police resorted to force, as they were obliged to do, and at last pushed the crowd back and made way for Mr. Bryan and Mr. Williams. The candidate then walked through the station to Kneeland street, the crowd yelling all the time. When he finally reached Kneeland street, where his carriage was in waiting, the crowd in the street which filled the whole neighborhood, cheered and yelled. Mr. Bryan quickly entered the carriage and was driven to the American house, where, after a short reception at which a few members of the Bimetallic union and Hon. Arthur Sewall of Bath were present, he took luncheon with political silver men. At the close of the dinner Col. Nickerson introduced Hon. E. Moody Boynton, who welcomed Mr. Bryan to Boston. Mr. Bryan responded in a few serious words. It was then ten minutes after 7 o'clock and Mr. Bryan was due to begin speaking on the common at 6:45. It was 7:30 before he finally arrived there and he found gathered about the temporary stand that had been erected near the corner of Beacon and Charles streets from 50,000 to 75,000 people. Police officers said that the crowd numbered at least 50,000 people. Mr. Bryan said it was the largest gathering he had addressed. It was a howling, pushing, good natured, police-resisting crowd. Mr. Bryan was introduced by James H. Mellen of Worcester. After the cheers had subsided, he began his speech, which was confined chiefly to the money question and contained but few points not already covered by the speaker.

Sewall Says He Will Not Decline.

When Mr. Bryan had finished Mr. Sewall stepped upon a chair beside Mr. Bryan, who introduced him in the following words: Fellow citizens, I introduce to you a man who way up in Maine was willing to stand for free coinage when his neighbors were against it. I introduce to you a man who was in favor of an income tax although he had to pay it. I introduce to you a man who did not bow the knee or worship the gold calf. I introduce Arthur Sewall, the democratic candidate for vice-president." Mr. Sewall was received with applause and spoke briefly. Said he: "It is with great satisfaction to me that you have had this opportunity to see the great leader of the democratic party, your candidate for president. And I may say that it is a great satisfaction to me to let you know that his associate is still on the ticket. Some have asked whether I was no the ticket or not. I am glad of the opportunity to show you that your nominee for vice-president during this campaign will not decline until after election."

Williams' Sensational Speech.

After the close of the open air meeting Mr. Bryan was driven to Music hall where a great audience had already assembled to get a view of the democratic nominee. But the chief interest in this meeting was not the young candidate for the presidency, but in a sensational speech delivered by his friend and supporter and former colleague in congress, George Fred Williams, candidate for governor before the democratic state convention which will meet in Music hall to-day. The first demonstration of the evening was when Mr. Williams came on the stage from the wings. A cheer went up as Williams was recognized. Mr. Sewall's entrance also called forth applause and the disorder lasted for several minutes. Mr. Dennison called the meeting to order and presented Mr. Williams and the audience finally settled down to hear what Mr. Williams had to say. They heard something they had not expected.

Direct Accusations.

It was a speech full of invective and direct accusation. Josiah Quincy, mayor of Boston was criticized by the speaker and his name was hooted by the audience. Secretary Robinson of the Democratic state central committee was accused of moral irresponsibility. The most sensational part was toward the close, where Mr. Williams, addressing the delegates to the state convention, who were in the hall, requested them to remain until the meeting was over to draft a bill of equity to present to a judge, or to stay in their places until 11 o'clock this morning, when the convention will meet, to prevent the state committee from packing the house with "its heelers," to quote Mr. Williams, and thus take the temporary organization from the rightfully accredited delegates. The cheering and disorder became intense when Mr. Williams proposed this method of outwitting his opponents."

THE ALLEGED DYNAMITE PLOT.

Examination of Ivory in the Bow Street Court Adjourned for Two Weeks.

London, Sept. 26.—The examination of Ivory, the alleged dynamite, who was arrested in Glasgow on September 12, was continued in the Bow street police court yesterday. Mr. Goll, the keeper of the hotel at Antwerp at which John F. Kearney and Haines, two of Ivory's alleged follow-conspirators, stopped while in that city, was put on the stand. Goll is a brother-in-law of Kearney. He identified photographs of Kearney and Haines, who are under arrest in Rotterdam, and P. J. Tynan, who is in the custody of the French police at Boulogne-sur-Mer. He said the three men had been at his hotel. He also identified the prisoner in the dock, who, he said, had been known to him as Edward Bell. The four had held conferences in a wine shop. Kearney "drank like a fish" while in Antwerp and the witness threatened to put him in an asylum. Detective Beausedom of Rotterdam was the next witness. He described the arrest of Kearney and Haines. When they were searched the police found in their possession receipted bills for nitric and sulphuric acids and absorbent clay. In a bag belonging to Haines were found twelve bombs. When asked how it came about that they had these bombs in their possession they said an unknown man had given them to them. They then refused to answer any further questions. Dynamite cartridges were found beneath Kearney's pillow in his room, and torn letters signed Edward Bell. The examination was then adjourned for two weeks.

DRIVER WILLIS RESPONSIBLE.

Suspended for Causing the Collision on the Baltimore Race Course.

Baltimore, Sept. 26.—The fall meeting at Gentlemen's Driving park closed yesterday. Willis, the driver of Corie McGregor, was found to have been responsible for the collision of Thursday on which four horses and their jockeys went down in a heap, and was suspended or a year and the horse declared distanced in the heat. Later in the day the judges reinstated Willis with the approval and by request of the other drivers interested in the race. Corie McGregor was badly cut about the legs and will not, it is thought, be in good condition to race for a year. John Reamer of Philadelphia, who was thought to have been fatally injured, escaped with slight bruises and was in his seat when the horses were called to the wire yesterday.

SYMPATHY FOR SPANIARDS.

Relief Measures Started in London for the Sufferers in Cuba.

London, Sept. 26.—A large number of the Spanish residents of this city met at the Winchester house yesterday afternoon and adopted resolutions expressive of sympathy for their fellow countrymen in Cuba and the Philippine islands who have lost their business or properties through the rebellions in those places, and who have otherwise suffered from the insurrections. The resolutions also congratulated the Spanish government on its determination to conquer the insurgents, even if it should be necessary to drain the Spanish treasury to attain that end. A committee, composed of leading members of the Spanish colony, was appointed to collect funds for the relief of the Spanish sufferers from insurrections. The money will be placed in the hands of the Spanish minister of war and the Red Cross society for distribution.

Killed by a Boy Scorcher.

Rahway, N. J., Sept. 26.—Patrick O'Keefe of East Rahway, who was run down Thursday night by Orville Way, aged 14, with a bicycle, died last night. He was a member of Company C, Thirtieth New Jersey volunteers. Way was trying a companion's wheel, and was scorching along Cherry street at a pretty lively gait when he struck O'Keefe. In falling O'Keefe's head came in contact with the curb stone, which caused a fracture at the base of the brain.

Survivors of the Fenian Raid.

Ottawa, Ont., Sept. 26.—A large delegation of veterans of 1866 who served in the Fenian raid, waited on Premier Laurier yesterday and requested that a grant of land and a medal be bestowed on each of the survivors. The premier said that it was too late to consider the matter this session, but he would lay it before his colleagues so that the matter could be presented next session.

TRADE IS IMPROVING

A Brighter Outlook in All Branches of Business.

GAINS NOT RAPID YET DISTINCT

Prices Stiffened, the Money Market Improved, Industries Resuming Operations and on the Whole the Situation Is More Cheerful.

New York, Sept. 26.—Dun's review of the state of trade for the week just closing will, to-day, say: A moderate and yet distinct improvement is seen, no longer only in the buying of materials, which continues and stiffens prices, but also in orders for products of some industries, in money markets and in exports of staples. It is as yet little more than a step towards better things, but has already started some important works, and prompted a few considerable contracts. Continuing arrivals of gold, since the movement began, have raised the treasury reserve above $115,000,000, strengthened the banks, and relaxed the stringency in commercial loans, so that at about 1 per cent. lower rates more business was done than in three previous weeks. Hoarding is no longer reported, but some hoards are being unlocked. The movement of crops continues large, and purchases for export have advanced prices or prevented depression. While the gain in working force is not great, it seems clear that for the first time in many months there is some net gain.

Advance in Produce Markets.

An important change is the general advance in produce markets, especially in wheat, which rose sharply on Thursday and Friday, closing 5½c. higher for the week, with much buying, apparently on foreign account. Reports of crops abroad were supposed to be the chief cause, as visible supplies in this country increased largely, but for the first time since July 1 western receipts fell below those of the same week last year. They are still large, and for the first quarter of the crop year thus far have been 52,721,158 bushels, against 40,414,351 last year, a gain of about 30 per cent., and it is conceivable, but cannot be considered quite probable, that such receipts have come from a crop smaller than last year's, although prices averaged 10¼ cts. lower in July and 6.8c. lower in August than last year, and only fell below last year's in September because of the sharp decline then and as much advance now.

Cotton advanced an eighth a week ago, but lost three-sixteenths, and with full receipts might have gone further but for the resumption of work by several important mills. Less than the full capacity of mills is working, and the demand for goods has been slack, with a decline of a sixteenth in print cloths, but in other goods recent advances are maintained. A few of the woolen mills are resuming, the belated demand for heavy goods constituting most of the gain visible, but manufacturers show confidence that more goods will be wanted when the future is more clear. Finished products of iron meet more inquiry, and the placing of contracts for 15,000 tons of steel for three new battleships, for one large building here, and for several bridges, explain the starting of two or three works, but after such months have passed, a little business is a gain. There is no change in the boot and shoe manufacture, spring orders being held back to a great extent because of the advance in prices asked, but filling orders for immediate needs keep part of the shops busy. Completion of old orders resulted in shipments during four weeks past 2.7 per cent. larger than in 1894, and 6 per cent. larger than in 1892.

Business Failures.

Failures have been large, liabilities in three weeks of September $18,016,232 against $6,633,990 last year, $5,278,584 in 1894, and $26,899,197 in 1893, including the Lombard concern for $11,000,000. Manufacturing this year have been $6,385,140, against $2,-994,145 last year, and $2,382,313 in 1894, while trading have been $6,731,327 against $3,386,020 last year, and $2,-379,212 in 1894. Failures for the week have been 315 in the United States against 216 last year, and 39 in Canada against 50 last year.

Spanish Steamer Ashore.

Amsterdam, Sept. 26.—The steamer blown ashore Thursday on Terschelling island, in the North sea, and reported to be a North German Lloyd liner, proves to be the Spanish steamer Hugo. Her crew has been landed on Ameland island.

Nominated for Congress.

Tunkhannock, Pa., Sept. 26.—C. P. Shaw of Bradford county has been nominated for congress by the democrats of the Fifteenth congressional district. Shaw has also the populist nomination of the congressional district.

Hurricane in the West Indies.

Havana, Sept. 26.—A hurricane swept over Curacao Thursday night. Its indicated course is west northwest. There is every indication of disastrous atmospheric disturbances in the eastern provinces.

NEW PACIFIC STEAMSHIP LINE.

United States Capitalists Negotiating with the Russian Government.

St. Petersburg, Sept. 29.—It is understood here that United States capitalists are negotiating with the Russian government for the establishment of a rapid steamship service between San Francisco and Vladivostock. In connection with the above statement it is said that a French company is being formed, supported by the minister of commerce, to run a regular steamship service between Dunkirk and Vladivostock.

University of Pennsylvania Open.

Philadelphia, Sept. 26.—The fall session of the college department of the University of Pennsylvania opened yesterday with the largest number of students in the history of the institution. The college freshman class numbers about 900. The other departments open next Thursday and the total number of students at the university will be about 3,800.

"Count" and Winston Pigeon Match.

Long Branch, N. J., Sept. 26.—A shooting match at 100 birds for $145 a side took place at Elmwood park yesterday afternoon between the "Count" and Winston. The former stood at 28 yards and Winston at 32. They tied at 77 birds each, and it was decided to shoot of the tie at 25 birds. The "Count" killed 21 and Winston 22.

Gladstone's Speech Excites the Sultan.

London, Sept. 26.—The Exchange Telegraph company says that the speech delivered at Liverpool Thursday by Mr. Gladstone has caused great excitement in the Yildiz Kiosk, the residence of the sultan. Papers containing the speech have been prohibited from entering Turkey.

Gen. and Mrs. Harrison Entertained.

Brooklyn, N. Y., Sept. 26.—An informal reception was given to ex-President and Mrs. Harrison, who arrived Thursday evening, at the Union League club house last evening. They were the especial guests of William Beri, president of the club.

Tie Game for the Soby Cup.

Hartford, Sept. 26.—The first tie game in this city this season was played yesterday and it was a battle royal. It was the second game in the Soby cup series, the Hartford and Paterson playing eleven innings and scoring one run each.

Whitehead Is Insane.

New York, Sept. 26.—Albert Whitehead, the Irish dynamiter, who recently arrived in this country, has developed marked symptoms of mental derangement and is to be sent to an institution.

10,000 Armenians Forced Into Islamism.

Constantinople, Sept. 26.—According to reliable advices received here ten thousand Armenians in the province of Van have been forcibly compelled to embrace Islamism during the past two months.

Trade Papers Incorporated.

Albany, Sept. 26.—The Markets Publishing company of New York city, to publish in the state of New York, a daily newspaper, known as the Journal of finance, has been incorporated. The capital is $35,000. The F. P. Prial company of New York city, to publish in this state a weekly newspaper, called The Wheel and Cycling Trade Review; capital, $150,000; has also been incorporated.

Salisbury To Meet the Czar.

London, Sept. 26.—Prime Minister Salisbury started last evening for Balmoral castle, where he will meet the czar. It is the general belief that the conference between Lord Salisbury and his majesty will have an important bearing on great Britain's attitude on the Armenian question.

Found Dead in His Laboratory.

Boston, Sept. 26.—Prof. George F. H Markoe, chemist, one of the founders of the Massachusetts college of pharmacy, and also one of a committee of four appointed to revise the United States Encyclopedia of Pharmacy, was found dead in his laboratory yesterday. He had been stricken with apoplexy. He had been employed by the Joseph Burnett company for the last five years.

Dangerous Derelict.

St. John's, N. F., Sept. 26.—The steamer Coban, from Montreal, reports passing yesterday the schooner Marie Fannie of St. Pierre, abandoned sixty miles off Cape Race, right in the track of shipping.

National League Games.

At New York—New York, 3; Baltimore, 10. At Philadelphia—Brooklyn, 13; Philadelphia, 4. At Cleveland—Louisville, 10; Cleveland, 7. At Washington—Washington, 3; Boston, 6. At St. Louis—St. Louis, 5; Pittsburg, 6.

Raines Law Special Agents.

Albany, Sept. 26.—State Excise Commissioner Lyman has appointed the following special agents under the Raines excise law: William H. D. Sweet of Albany, a veteran; Frederick J. Bryan of Binghamton, N. Y., and Menzo W. Johnston of Farmer, N. Y., a veteran.

GALES ON THE BRITISH COAST.

Telegraphic and Cable Communication Seriously Hindered.

London, Sept. 26.—A very severe gale from the northwest still prevails along the coast and is causing much damage. Telegraphic communication is seriously interfered with over the whole of the British islands. The British postoffice yesterday gave notice of delay to Ireland, the east, northwest and west of England, South Wales, the Channel islands and to the continent. The wires of the cable companies are working very slowly and cable messages are subject to delay. A large number of coasting vessels were unable to make a safe offing and were thrown ashore at Holyhead, Sheerness, Dover and Yarmouth. So far as known all the men on these wrecked vessels were saved by the lifeboats and coastguardmen. Isolated cases of drowning have been reported from different places along the coasts. At Yarmouth the wind blew with hurricane force. Many buildings were unroofed or otherwise damaged. At Ilfracombe, the fashionable watering place in Devonshire, the Arcade was wrecked and a great number of trees torn up by the roots. The steamers plying between Folkestone and Boulogne-sur-Mer were compelled to abandoned their trips. The steamers of the other lines running to the continent were greatly delayed, and their nonarrival under the circumstances caused much anxiety among those who had relatives or friends aboard of them. The American steam yacht Arcturus, owned by R. Stuyvesant of New York, has arrived at Southampton from Dover. She was caught in the storm and sustained some damage.

NOW THE BONITA JUAREZ.

The Old Filibuster Bermuda Changes Her Name and Gets a New Registry.

New York, Sept. 26.—The former filibuster Bermuda has again changed her name, this time to Bonita Juarez, and will hereafter sail under the Mexican flag. She leaves here to-day or Monday under a provisional registry from the Mexican consul for Vera Cruz, stopping at Newport News for a cargo of coal. The Bonita Juarez will carry as passengers on her trip down Capt. Brown's family and others. Daniel Bacon, the agent, says the vessel will be engaged in the West Indian trade, and will not engage in filibustering so long as he is connected with her.

Dixon and White Fight to a Draw.

New York, Sept. 26.—The twenty-round bout last night between George Dixon of Boston and Jimmy White of Chicago, for the featherweight championship of the world, ended in a draw after twenty rounds. The colored lad went into the ring a hot favorite, but before the battle was half over the 5,000 spectators saw that he was not the Dixon of former battles. At times he showed some of his old-time cyclonic dash, but the restless energy and terrific punching power that made him famous were not there. Dixon met his match at last, and although the decision was a fair one, there were many who thought that White had the best of the encounter. In the last round he smilingly jabbed Dixon all around the ring.

International Cricket.

Philadelphia, Sept. 26.—The second of the series of three matches between the Australians and an eleven representing the best cricket talent among the gentlemen players of Philadelphia began yesterday afternoon and a merry time the home team had of it chasing leather. The Australians won the toss and went to the bat and when the last man had been retired just at the hour for stopping play for the day, the Antipodeons had put together 422 runs.

For Violating Intercommerce Law.

Buffalo, Sept. 26.—The United States grand jury has found an indictment against President de Coursey of the Western New York & Pennsylvania railway, charging him with violating the United States intercommerce law. It is alleged that while he was receiver of the company two years ago last August he paid, contrary to law, rebates to the Fairmount Coal company.

The Czar and Wales Go Deer Stalking.

Ballater, Sept. 26.—It has been very rainy ever since the czar and czarina arrived at Balmoral castle on their visit to the queen. Yesterday there was quite a heavy downpour, but notwithstanding this fact the czar, accompanied by the Prince of Wales and the Duke of Connaught, went deer stalking.

An Abandoned Brig Sighted at Sea.

London, Sept. 26.—The British brig Hyaline, which was abandoned at sea while on a voyage from Liverpool, N. S., for Barbadoes, having been on fire, was sighted Sept. 10 in lat. 44 n., long. 23 w.

Fierce Gale on the Newfoundland Coast.

St. Johns, N. F., Sept. 26.—A severe gale has been raging here for the past two days. A number of boat and fishing establishments along the coast have been destroyed.

Prohibition Nomination.

Fort Plain, N. Y., Sept 26.—The prohibitionists of Montgomery county have nominated William Platner of Fort Plain for member of assembly

GOLD IMPORTATIONS

Movements of the Yellow Metal to This Country Continues.

SEVERAL BIG ENGAGEMENTS ABROAD

A Further Sum of $2,300,000 Taken from the Bank of England for Import—More Than $3,000,000 Brought In During the Last 24 Hours.

New York, Sept. 26.—The importation of gold into the United States, which began a few weeks ago, still continues. Lazard Freres, it was announced last evening has engaged to import to this country $1,500,000 in gold by the steamship Augusta Victoria and $600,000 by La Bourgogne, making a total of $2,100,000. This gold comes from the Bank of France. It was also announced that $200,000 in eagles had been sold yesterday afternoon by the Bank of England for export to this country. The Hamburg-American line steamer Normannia, which arrived yesterday from Hamburg, Cherbourg and Southampton, brought $3,250,000 in gold coin. Of this amount $2,000,000 was for Lazard Freres, $500,000 for Kuhn, Loeb & Co., $500,000 for the Bank of Montreal and $250,000 for Ladenburg, Thalman & Co. The consignment to Lazard Freres was sent to the treasury and no doubt all in due course will be added to the treasury reserve. Legal tender notes were taken for half of it so that the treasury reserve gained $1,000,000 at once. The treasury gold reserve also gained a further sum of $150,000 deposited by the Produce Exchange bank in exchange for legal tender notes.

Confident Feeling in Financial Circles.

Besides the gold received by yesterday's steamers, the St. Paul, which arrived last night, had $400,000 on board. The transfers of currency to the west and south yesterday from the subtreasury were very light. Sterling exchange was inactive, the actual rates being the same as on the previous day. A very confident feeling prevailed in financial circles. Next Thursday the interest on the old 4 per cent. United States bonds will be due and the treasury will have to pay out $5,596,000, of which sum about $4,200,000 will be disbursed through the sub-treasury in this city. This disbursement will tend in slight degree to the further relaxation of the money market. The treasury's gold balance of course will not be affected by the payments, except that it may relieve the banks to that extent of the necessity of depositing so much gold in exchange for greenbacks.

SHORT OF MAIL SACKS.

The Flood of Campaign Literature Swamps the Postal Facilities.

Washington, Sept. 26.—The activity of the headquarters of the various presidential nominees in sending out public documents and other literature has somewhat embarrassed the postoffice department by overtaxing its mail bag facilities. The result was an order issued to postmasters throughout the country directing all surplus mail equipment to be promptly forwarded to regular depositories; also that when mail sacks containing documents or other matter are received by any postmaster, they must be emptied at once and promptly forwarded to the proper depository. If members of congress or others have been permitted to take from a postoffice sacks containing matter addressed to them, the postmaster should demand the immediate return of such sacks and forward them with other surplus.

Reunion at Springfield.

Springfield, Mass., Sept. 26.—At the annual reunion of the Forty-sixth regiment held at Grand Army of the Republic hall yesterday these officers were elected: President, Major S. S. Spooner; vice-presidents, Lieut. Gideon Wells, Lieut. W. S. Loomis, Capt. A. Campbell, G. Ceath, G. M. Dustin, Capt. F. D. Lincoln, Capt. F. C. Cook, Lieut. R. Dewitt and Capt. John Avery; secretary, S. Bryant; treasurer, G. W. Turner. Resolutions on the death of Col. Schurtleff were adopted. The attendance was remarkably large. After the business meeting adjournment was made in order that the veterans might hear Bryan.

Defeat of Philippine Rebels Reported.

Madrid, Sept. 26.—An official dispatch from Manila, capital of the Philippine islands, says after three days' fighting at Rehazada the insurgents were repulsed with the loss of fifty men killed, including their leader, Cabecillafuen. A dispatch to the Imparcial from Manila says that the insurgents have occupied eight villages near Cavite, and that they have considerable supplies of arms and food.

The Recent Massacres at Kharput.

Constantinople, Sept. 26.—It now appears that 1,000 Armenians were killed during the recent massacre at Egin, in the Kharput district, and it is reported that 100 Armenians have been killed at Divrig in the same villayet.

London, Sept. 26.—The Turkish embassy has telegraphed verbatim to the porte Mr. Gladstone's speech delivered at Liverpool.

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Sleeping on air is the latest innovation in railway travel. The use of compressed air for this purpose will, in the estimation of railway men, eventually revolutionize railway travel and relegate the familiar and somewhat clumsy Wagner and Pullman sleeping cars to the background.

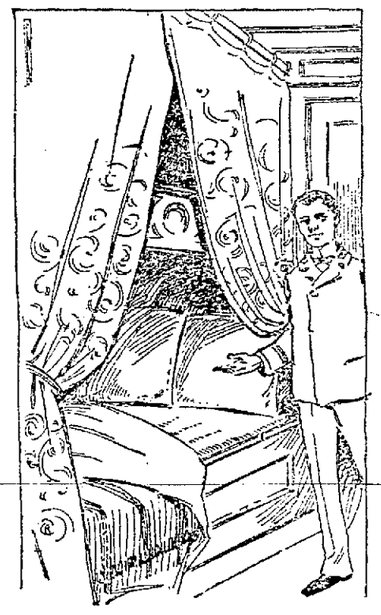
At present the only car completely fitted with compressed air cushions and beds is the private car of Vice President J. N. Schoonmaker, of the Pittsburgh & Lake Erie railroad. These have been found, however, to be not only practicable, but to possess so many advantages over the accommodations of ordinary sleeping and parlor cars that a number of roads are having similarly fitted ones constructed, and before long they will be in general use on many of the great trunk lines of the country.

Col. Schoonmaker's car was built after the plans of L. F. Ruth, the inventor of this latest system of car furnishing. In appearance it does not differ externally from the ordinary private car of railroad officials. The interior by day is that of a handsomely fitted up parlor car.

The customary chairs are seen on either side of the car, and they are covered with plush. When one sits in them, however, a marked difference is noticed from the ordinary car chair. This is explained by the fact that instead of the usual upholstering, the chair cushions are filled with compressed air which lessens, in a great degree, to the occupant, the jolting and jarring of the car when in motion.

During the day no one would for a moment suppose that he was riding in a sleeping car, and it is not until the day coach is transformed into a sleeper that the possibilities of the use of compressed air in this direction are fully realized.

The transformation is affected in this wise: First, the air in the chair cushions is exhausted, the light frame work folded up and slipped into an opening in the side of the car. Thus all the seats in the car is disposed of and it is ready for the beds.



AIR BED FOR SLEEPING CARS.

The panels on either side of the windows open outward like a door. On the inside of these panels is a metal track over which is drawn a steel, spring-like arrangement which supports the bed. Fitting closely against the side of the car and concealed during the day by the closed panels, is a rubber bag folded after the fashion of an accordeon.

By turning a valve connected with a storage tank beneath the car, compressed air is admitted into the rubber bag, which inflates and forces itself outward from the sides of the car until it rests upon the steel framework, and the bed is ready to be made up. The head and foot of the bed are panels which fit also into the side of the car.

When the berth or bed is not desired for use another valve is turned, and the air in the mattress expelled. The mattress itself assumes the appearance of an empty rubber bag, and is drawn back against the side of the car as before. The panels are then closed and the sleeping car is once more ready to become the parlor car for the day traveler.

One great advantage of these appliances is that they can be fitted to steamships and dwellings as well as cars. They are particularly adapted for use in conveyances where economy of space is desirable, as on steamships, where they can be folded into the wall or stateroom partition during the day, and thus give the occupant almost twice the amount of space now available. This is an advantage which any one who has had to endure cramped stateroom accommodations will readily appreciate.

Other considerations which recommend this appliance to railroad men are its cleanliness, extreme lightness, and above all, its cheapness. The ordinary Pullman or Wagner sleeping car is the heaviest and costliest built, not only in its frame but in its fittings. Questions of strength and safety will naturally preclude a lighter frame and therefore the possibility of lighter fittings is of the greatest importance to a railroad company.

The invention of this system will probably, for this reason, mark the most radical change in the development of the sleeping cars, since they were first of all run in the United States, over 30 years ago.

WHERE MEN ARE CARELESS.

Thoughtless as to the Future of Wife and Family

It is a singular fact that the American man, who is the best, and most thoughtful husband in the world should yet be peculiarly thoughtless as to the future of his wife and children in the event of his death. How often this fact is brought home to all of us when a man dies and leaves his widow in poverty and his affairs in absolute confusion, whereas a little forethought might easily have prevented either or both. The most loving of husbands is often the one most careless in the making of his will. Either he forgets altogether to make one, or he leaves a document which he had planned to change, but for some reason or other failed to alter.

Again, he neglects to take out an insurance policy where his income easily justified his doing so. Or, perhaps, he took out a certain policy for the benefit of his mother, sister, father or brother, and the beneficiary having passed away it was his intention to alter the policy to the name of his wife. He intended to do it, but death found it undone, and trouble ensued for the widow. Particularly, in cases where a man marries for the second time, should the strictest punctuality and care be exercised in altering his will, insurance policy or such other documents as he may leave behind him tending to benefit his heirs or successors.

But men are optimistic about death. Friends may drop at their very sides, and for a time the lesson is brought home to them. "I must make my will, and see about my own affairs in case I die," says the man to himself, and he honestly intends to give the matter attention. But within a few days he has plunged into business again and forgotten his good resolution. Suddenly he dies, or becomes so seriously ill as to make suitable arrangements impossible. Then trouble ensues for those he leaves behind. Such cases are not isolated ones. Again and again during the past year have such instances come directly under my attention or I have heard of them. And yet, in each case, I venture to say, there existed an intention on the part of the dead man to "set his house in order." It was simply thoughtlessness; it was "put off" as a matter which could be attended to at any time. Naturally, the wife shrinks from discussing the subject of a provision being made for her and her children in the event of the death of her husband's passing away. Death is never a pleasant topic, even at its best, and it is a topic which we avoid if we can. The wife fears, too, having ulterior motives attributed to her if she mentions the subject. And so the matter of provision for the wife after the husband's death is allowed to go undiscussed. There is some reason why a woman should refrain from speaking of such a topic to her husband—and yet I cannot help thinking that it would often be better if she would. But there is no excuse for the man's neglect of so important a matter. No man should become so engrossed in affairs that he cannot take time to see so far as he is able, that no trouble that he can provide against shall come to his wife and children after his death. If he has anything to leave to them he should make a will and distinctly provide for the distribution of his effects. Nor can such a document be safely made except in the shape of a will legally drawn by a lawyer. "Memorandums" are worthless things in the eyes of the law, and frequently have exactly the opposite effect to that which was intended. The same care should be exercised in the case of insurance policies. I firmly believe that it is the duty of every man to be insured. With insurance policies to be had at such low rates as is at present the case, there is scarcely a man who cannot afford some sort of a policy, no matter how small the amount it may call for. What seems to the man himself in good health as a small amount for an insurance policy, often turns out to be a modest fortune to the woman or children who survive him. I wish, sometimes, that the taking out of an insurance policy, on the part of the husband, for an amount according to his means, might be made an obligatory part of every marriage ceremony.

I know whereof I speak when I say that there are hundreds of women in the homes of this land who are daily carrying with them the fear that their husbands or fathers are neglecting or forgetting to make suitable provision for them as widows or orphans. They shrink from speaking to the men of their homes about the matter. And is it especially for the benefit of these women that I write these words. Perhaps, where the occasion makes it necessary, they can, with a woman's skill, see that what I have written here may come to the attention of these men. And if my words should prove to be the means of bringing even one man to a realizing sense of his duty I shall not have written in vain. No man can afford to neglect a simple duty which may mean all the difference between happiness and misery to his family. Suitable provision he cannot allow himself to "put off," for surely it is true that "in the midst of life we are in death."—Ladies' Home Journal.

Latest Styles in Fans.

Empire fans still continue to lead the fashion in that very significant little accessory of dress which is always an addition to the dressy toilet and a positive necessity to the summer costume. Glitter seems to be the special feature of black fans, and spangles are a very conspicuous part of the decoration. Feather fans have not lost their prestige among the matrons, and are quite as much in use as ever, marabou feathers alone being more in fashion than the ostrich.—Ladies' Home Companion.

Willing to Help.

"Can't you help me?" said the lady who was trying to raise the car window and hold her baby at the same time.

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HOPE FOR THE FUTURE.

The Brooklyn *Citizen*, discussing the great demonstration in that city, Wednesday night, in honor of William J. Bryan, says:

We do not go so far as to predict victory for the party this year in the State of New York because of what was visible last night. What we do say is that in the elements which filled the two houses there was the assurance of many victories in the not remote future. The plain people are with the Democracy. That is the fundamental fact shown by the receptions given here to Bryan, and the future of the Republic will be controlled by them, despite all the powers that may be put forth by rings of capitalists and confederacies of special interests to prevent the Government from being conducted as Jefferson intended it should be. It is not at all improbable that this campaign is to stand related to the rejuvenated Democracy as the Fremont campaign stood to the anti-slavery cause. What is to the last degree improbable is that the movement for the reassertion of the right of the toiling, honest multitude to rule the land will stop short of a triumph that shall be quite as memorable in the history of civilization as that which unmanacled the black man, and gave permanency to the Union of the States.

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Stranded in a Deserted Town.

Sven, the Swede whose potato-planting experience testifies most significantly to his thrift, accompanied me to one of these deserted lumber towns, located on the shores of a beautiful lake. The first man we met was a middle-aged native mechanic who, in the palmy days, had had charge of an engine in the woods. His tale of woe was pathetic, in a way. He had worked at "lumbering" for many years. "Work was always plenty," said he; "for 12 years I never earned less than $3.75 a day and for a year or more I got $7.50 a day. But lumbering is dead now. I can't get any work and I haven't enough money to get away. Don't you think that's rather hard lines?" I didn't answer his question, but Sven remarked, sententiously: "Ef Ae ben earning

STRANDED AFTER THE BOOM.

tree dollar seventy fil' cents a day for ten yare, Ae not have to stay here an' ben catch bullhead to keep from starvin'." Sven took the words out of my mouth. Any workingman who earns as much as this man had earned, and has not enough good American sense to make himself comparatively independent in 12 years, is not a worthy object for sympathy, although we may pity his wife and helpless children.

C. W. WEIPPIERT.

Largest Bet on Record.

The biggest bet on record, according to Mr. G. R. Sims, was made a few years back by a young American who was assistant at "a main" held in the grounds of a notorious young sporting marquis, now deceased. One bird was badly crippled and the other was fighting with terrible force. "Twenty thousand to a pinch of snuff on that one," said the young American millionaire, which was taken. The American won.

Bald-Headed Men.

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NEWS OF THE CHURCHES.

Notes of Sunday Services and Other Matters of Religious Interest.

—Old School Baptist Church—Elder Benton Jenkins, pastor. Preaching at 3 p. m. Seats free.

—Bethel A. M. E. Church, Rev. J. H. Nichols, pastor—Preaching, 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.; Sunday School, 3 p. m.; Bible reading, 6:45 p. m.

—Faith Mission, 11 Mill street, Elder D. L. Conkling, pastor. You will be made welcome to any or all of the services at the Mission. Sunday School, 2 p. m.; preaching 3 and 7:30 p. m. Horace Arney, a converted actor, will preach at 3 o'clock. No evening service.

—A. M. E. Zion Church, East avenue, Rev. G. M. Payne, pastor—Preaching 11 a. m. and 7:45 p. m.; Sunday School 3 p. m.; C. E. 7 p. m. No evening service.

—Y. M. C. A.—"Bible Study Rally." Address by Rev. J. W. Norris. All men welcome.

—The First Universalist Society, Assembly Rooms, North street—Sunday School, 10 a. m.; preaching 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m., by Rev. L. M. Clement, of South Hartford, N. Y. Morning subject:—"Why I Am a Universalist." Evening subject:—"Religious Progress." Everybody is invited to all services.

—St. Paul's M. E. Church, Rev. Frank L. Wilson, D. D., pastor—Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.; Sunday School, 9:30 a. m.; class meeting, 9:45 a. m.; Junior Epworth League, 3 p. m.; Epworth League prayer meeting, 6:30 p. m. Seats free and strangers cordially invited. At 7:30 p. m., convention and rally of Sunday School Association. Addresses by Messrs. Geo. H. Decker, Arthur M. Payne and Rev. Chas. Beattie, D. D.

—Free Christian Church—Sunday School, 11 a. m. Preaching in the evening by the pastor, Rev. C. M. Winchester. Subject:—"Lessons from the Laying of the Corner Stone." Gospel Temperance Union this evening.

—North Street Congregational Church, Rev. J. W. Norris, pastor—Preaching at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.; Sunday School, 12 m.; Y. P. S. C. E., 6:30 p. m. Seats free; strangers welcome. Morning subject:—"The Sting of Death." No evening service.

—First Presbyterian Church, Rev. Thomas Gordon, D. D., pastor—Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.; young people's service 6:30 p. m. Mission school and service, corner East Main street and Prospect avenue, at 3 p. m. Strangers cordially invited.

—First Congregational Church, Rev. W. A. Robinson, D. D., pastor—Sunday School, 9:30 a. m.; preaching 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.; young people's service 6:30 p. m. Cordial welcome to all. No evening service.

—Second Presbyterian Church, Rev. Charles Beattie, D. D., pastor—Preaching 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.; Junior Endeavor, 3 p. m.; young people's meeting, 6:30 p. m.

—Grace (Episcopal) Church, Rev. D. J. Evans, B. A. rector—17th Sunday after Trinity. Holy communion, 7:30 a. m.; Sunday School, 9:45 a. m.; morning prayer and ~~sermon, 11 a. m.~~; evening prayer and sermon, 7:30 p. m. Services conducted by Rev. Geo. Betts, of Goshen.

—First Baptist Church, Rev. F. A. Heath, pastor—Bible School, 9:30 a. m.; preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.; Junior B. Y. U. P., 3 p. m.; Senior B. Y. P. U., 6:30 p. m. Our seats are all free. Morning subject:—"Christ and Wealth." No evening service.

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A Palpable Plot.

Mrs. Du Ille—John, my dressmaker arrived to-day, and I must have the materials to-morrow.

Mr. Du Ille—Eh? What? You said you had written to her not to come until next month.

Mrs. Du Ille—Yes, I did, but she never got the letter.

Mr. Du Ille (clasping his hands to his breast-pocket)—Woman! This is a plot—a vile plot! If you had really wanted her to stay away you would have handed that letter to the postman yourself; you wouldn't have given it to me to mail.—N. Y. Weekly.

As It Is in Boston.

They were discussing the Boston debutante.

"She is having the finishing touches put on her toilet to-day," explained her mother.

"Ah! Closeted with her dressmaker, I suppose."

"Oh, dear, no. With her optician. She's having her new spectacles fitted."—Chicago Post.

A Condensed Tragedy.

A little drop within a rill
That by the sun was kissed
Was scooped in by an ice machine
And frozen hard, I wist;
"Alas!" exclaimed that little drop.
"I never will be mist!"

—N. Y. Press.

SLIGHTLY PERSONAL.

"Jobson, I do believe that if you were given your choice between me and your pipe, you would hesitate."

"That's where you make a mistake, Mrs. Jobson. A pipe soothes and comforts a man in his old age."—N. Y. Herald.

An Appropriate Motto.

Cemetery Sculptor—You wish a monument to your aunt? Yes, sir. I knew your dear, departed relative very well, sir. She was all her life a boarding-housekeeper in my neighborhood. Do you wish a motto inscribed on it, sir?

Englishman—Oh, yes. Put hon "Peace to 'er h'ashes."—N. Y. Weekly.

The Popular Doctor.

"How do you manage, doctor, to make yourself so popular with all your patients?"

"That's very simple. I assure those who only imagine they are ill that they really are ill, while those who are really ill I assure that they are quite well."—Fliegende Blaetter.

Just the Thing.

Mrs. Doulittle (continuing story)—And then their conduct became so very shameful, it is really unfit for decent ears to hear.

Mrs. Wigglesby (setting back with an air of delighted expectancy)—Tell it!—Up-to-Date.

Wouldn't Change It.

"I'm not pleased with your school report, Bobby," said his father, with solemn look.

"I told the teacher you wouldn't be, but she was too stubborn to change it, the old pelican."—Detroit Free Press.

Flattery Not Appreciated.

"She doesn't seem to have many friends."

"No, but it's her own fault. Every time she sees a friend in a pretty hat, blouse or frock she gets one just like it."—Odds and Ends.

The Reason They Are Disappointed.

He—Few men marry the women they really want.

She—I suppose not. They rarely know that they want a particular woman until she is married to some other man.—Brooklyn Life.

Nearing the Goal.

"Your husband seems to be making money."

"Yes; he says that by next summer he will be rich enough for somebody in the family to have hay fever."—Chicago Record.

A Provident Class.

"There isn't any truth in the doctrine that the rain falls alike on the just and the unjust."

"Why isn't there?"

"The unjust have umbrellas."—Up-to-Date.

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A Quick Witness.

Attorney (examining witness)—You say you saw the shot fired?

Witness—Yes, sir.

"How near were you to the scene of the affray?"

"When the first shot was fired I was about ten feet from the shooter."

"Ten feet. Well, now, tell the court where you were when the second shot was fired."

"I didn't measure the distance."

"Speaking approximately, how far should you say?"

"Well, it approximated to half a mile."—Texas Sifter.

He Was No Pedestrian.

Old Gentleman—That young man stayed pretty late last night, Louise.

Louise—He didn't intend to, pa.

Old Gentleman—Didn't intend to?

Louise—No; he would have gone earlier, but he said that by waiting a little longer he could get a ride home with a milkman and save himself a long walk.—Bay City Chat.

Not the Cholera.

"What was that black bottle I saw you hand to Mr. Beasley behind the tree?"

"Who, me? Oh, yes; I remember now. I was just letting him sample my new cholera mixture."

"Has Mr. Beasley got the cholera?"

"No—but confound him, he's got the mixture!"—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

A Poster Dream.

I saw great beasts with horrid claws,
I wrestled with a dragon—
Don't think I had been drunk, because
I never take a "jag" on.
I saw the fiery world below,
But nothing of the upper.
'Twas but a poster dream, you know—
I ate mince pie for supper.

—L. A. W. Bulletin.

The Last for Him.

"That tenderfoot tried to play a practical joke on Rattlesnake Dan, and Dan shot him dead," said one miner to another.

"Well," replied the latter, "Rattlesnake Dan is the last man in the world to try to have fun of that sort with."

"Yes; he was the last man in the tenderfoot's case."—N. Y. World.

The Distinction.

Tom—Then you disapprove of whiskers, Miss Gushingly?

Miss Gushingly—Oh, no; not at all.

Tom—But didn't you just say as much?

Miss Gushingly—I only said: "It was a fashion that I invariably set my face against."—Washington Times.

Needed Rest.

Trillions—Where is Mr. Bonkey?

Chief Clerk—At home, resting, under the order of his physician.

Trillions—Why, Great Scott! He's just had his vacation.

Chief Clerk—Yes, sir; that's why his physician ordered a rest.—Philadelphia North American.

SUPREME Court, Orange county—Evelyn W. Seaman, plaintiff, against Peter J. Seaman, defendant.

Action for Absolute Divorce—To the above named defendant. You are hereby summoned to answer the complaint in this action, and to serve a copy of your answer on the plaintiff's attorney within twenty days after the service of this summons, exclusive of the day of service, and in case of your failure to appear or answer, judgment will be taken against you by default, for the relief demanded in the complaint. Trial to be held in the county of Orange.

Dated August 27th, 1896.

A. DUBOIS STAATS, Plaintiff's Attorney, office and postoffice address, Main street, Goshen, N. Y. P. O. Box 544.

To Peter J. Seaman:—The foregoing summons is served upon you, by publication, pursuant to an order of Hon. John J. Beattie, County Judge of Orange county, N. Y., dated the 2d day of September, 1896, and filed with the complaint in the office of the Clerk of Orange county, at Goshen, in said county.

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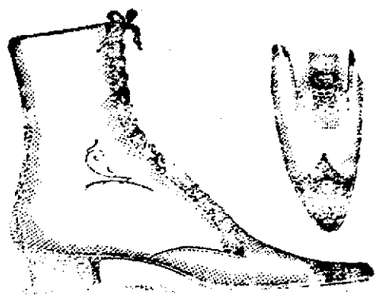

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GOING EAST.

Nos	James St. Sta.	Main St. Sta
* 12 Chicago Ex. T	4.30 a. m.	
* 10 New York Special	6.01 "	
26 Middletown Way	6.34 "	....6.36 a. m
16 Orange Co. Ex. (G. M.)	7.10 "	....7.12 "
28 Mountain Ex., T	8.23 "	.... 8.25 "
38 Del. Val. Ex. (M. P. G.)	10.48 "	
* 6 W. Mail (G. Hex't pt sta)	12.55 p. m.	....1.00 p. m
30 Way, T. M. P. G	4.11 "	...4.13 p. m
* 2 C. & G. T. Ex	4.52 "	
* S. C. & St. L. Limited	6.12 "	
22 P. J. Local T	7.20 "	
* 14 Wells Fargo Express	10.40 "	
*606 P. J. Local (Sun only)		
M. P. and G. T	8.23 a. m.	
620 P. J. Local (Su only)	5.12 p. m.	
18 MBk (Sunday only)	8.05 p. m.	

GOING WEST

Nos.	James St. Sta.	Main St. Sta
* 17 MBk	6.57 a. m.	
* 21 Port Jervis Way	10.36 "	....10.32 a. m
* 1 Day Express	10.66 "	
9 Del. Val. Express	11.25 "	
11 Port Jervis Local	1.04 p. m.	.... 1.01 p. m
23 Port Jervis Exp	3.50 "	.... 3.37 "
* S. C. & St. L. Exp	4.12 "	
27 Mountain Exp	5.42 "	.... 5.38 "
15 Orange Co. Exp	6.50 "	.... 6.45 "
25 Middletown Way ar	8.05 "	.... 8.03 "
* T. C. & G. T. Exp	9.34 "	
29 Way	9.43 "	
* 3 Owl Exp	11.12 "	
601 Sunday Local	10.55 a. m.	
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617 " " "	10.50 "	

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Trains leave Wickham Avenue depot, Middletown, as follows:

Mail for Norwich	7.40 a. m
Accom. MBK to Walton	8.45 a. m
Mail to Day Express and Mail	10.35 a. m
Syracuse Ex. Express	6.16 p. m
Pacific Express	6.56 p. m
Local Freight and Passenger	11.00 a. m

SOUTH

Trains leave Wickham Avenue depot for New York as follows, Main street two minutes later:

Fast Mail Limited	8.10 a. m
Local Freight and Passenger	2.30 p. m
New York Day Express	4.30 p. m
MBK	4.45 p. m
Second Milk	7.40 p. m
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SATURDAY, SEPT. 26, 1896.

In his speech in Brooklyn, last night, Chauncey M. Depew sought to make political capital out of the love and veneration in which the people of that city hold Henry Ward Beecher and his memory by quoting from one of his addresses to prove that if Mr. Beecher was alive to-day he would be outspoken in denunciation of Bryan and his cause. One of Mr. Beecher's sentences that was quoted comes very far from bolstering up the Republican cause. "Whoever tampers with established standards tampers with the very marrow and vitality of public faith" applies to the crime of '73 not to an effort to restore to the people the money of the constitution. It is never too late to right a wrong and trying to right the most grievous wrong ever done the farmers and wage earners of any country is not tampering with public faith. There is every reason for believing that if Mr. Beecher was still among the living he would be found championing the people's cause and supporting Bryan and free silver. The man who gave the best energies of his life to the anti-slavery cause and who helped free thousands of blacks from bondage would glory in the opportunity to help free 70,000,000 American citizens from bondage to the organized and insatiate greed of the money power.

In declining the nomination for Governor, John Boyd Thacher has done the one sensible thing that remained for him to do. His plan of campaign,—to capture the gold Democrats by declaring himself a believer in the gold standard, while retaining the support of silver Democrats by a pledge to support Bryan and Sewall because they were the regular candidates of his party, was a most dismal failure. The gold Democrats would not have him and the silver Democrats learned of his attempt to play good Lord, good devil with anger and disgust. No attention was paid to his suggestion that there were State issues great enough and important enough for him to make the canvass on them alone. Deserted by former friends and with a large element in the party clamoring for his withdrawal from the ticket it would have been worse than folly for him to have persisted in making a campaign for the Governorship.

It is, of course, too soon to make any predictions as to who will be named as his successor on the ticket. This much is certain, however. He will not be a half-and-half man. He will not try to win the support of the so-called gold Democrats. He will be an out and out silver man and under that standard he will march to victory or defeat.

THE BICYCLE PARADE.

The Ladies' Committee Trying to Arouse Interest Among Wheelwomen.

At the meeting of the ladies' committee on the bicycle parade held in Excelsiors' parlors, yesterday afternoon, each present pledged herself as a committee of one to arouse interest among her acquaintances to take part in the parade on the night of Oct. 7th. It is earnestly requested that all ladies will place their names at once on one of the lists at the different bicycle stores without personal solicitation in order that it may be known how large to form the divisions.

A Jewelry Store Burglarized.

About 3:30 o'clock, this morning, two men were discovered by Policeman Duffy, of Port Jervis, in the act of robbing the jewelry store of William Thoustrup in that village. The thieves took to their heels and escaped.

They had broken the glass in a front window, in which was a show case containing silverware, fancy clocks, etc. They then broke the glass in the case and when driven away by the officer had secured about $45 worth of goods.

"And They Shall Have Music Wherever They Go."

Some Middletown bicyclists have discovered a way of adding to the pleasure of cycling by providing music of the aeolian harp order as they spin through the streets. Rubber bands are stretched tight between the upper and lower tubes and the vibrations of these as the wind strikes them produces the sounds. The faster the wheel is propelled the more music is produced.

Watching Suspicious Characters.

The police since being informed of the burglary of a jewelry store in Port Jervis, last night have been on the lookout for suspicious characters. Officer Dunham has had his eye upon a stranger carrying a good sized hand bag, who has been closely inspecting jewelry store windows during the day.

Will Sleep In Pullman Cars.

Beacon Engine Company, of Matteawan, has made arrangements to visit this city in Pullman cars, in which they will sleep on the night of the 7th of October, thus being able to participate in the evening parade. The company was not able to secure hotel accommodations, all available rooms having been engaged for other companies.

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LATEST BY TELEGRAPH

REPUBLICAN NOMINATION FOR SUPREME COURT JUDGES.

BY UNITED PRESS.

BROOKLYN, Sept. 26.—The Republican convention for the Second Judicial District this afternoon nominated for Justices of the Supreme Court, M. H. Hirschberg, of Newburgh, Maddox, Goodrich and Garretson.

GEORGE FRED WILLIAMS' COUP.

Free Silver Men Take Possession of the Hall in Which the State Convention is to Be Held—Great Excitement.

BY UNITED PRESS.

BOSTON, Sept. 26—The sensation of the hour is the free silver men's seizure of Music Hall, at the instance of George Fred Williams, who charged that the State committee leaders intended to pack the hall with men opposed to the Chicago platform and ticket. Some 600 men remained in the hall after the Bryan ratification meeting. One speaker said they would hold the hall in spite of Mayor Quincy, and the police and would use force if an attempt was made to eject them.

The State Committee and agent for the hall wanted the police to eject its occupants, but the police decided that they had no authority to interfere.

During the night the body of Delegate Hughes, of Somerville, was found in an alley adjoining the hall. He had been trying to enter the hall by a fire escape and been killed by contact with an electric wire.

The agent refused to allow sandwiches and coffee to be taken into the hall, but at 4 o'clock large baskets of sandwiches were hoisted through a window.

This morning the State Committee demanded possession of the hall from the agent. He said he could not deliver it.

A letter from G. Fred Williams was read to the occupants of the hall in which he thanked them for their loyalty, saying that Bryan was delighted with their spirit. They had a large majority of the delegates and must prevail.

The State Committee, finding the Williams men in possession of the hall at noon, refused to call the convention to order unless those inside came out. This the Williams men refused to do, and the State Committee adjourned to Faneuil Hall and held a convention there.

This they claim made bolters of the Williams men, who remained at Music Hall.

The delegates in Music Hall nominated G. Fred Williams for Governor and those outside ratified the nomination.

THACHER OFF THE TICKET.

The Notification Committee Informed That He Declines the Nomination for Governor—Danforth May Be Named to Succeed Him.

BY UNITED PRESS

ALBANY, Sept. 26.—John Boyd Thacher has declined the Democratic nomination for Governor. His declination was given to the press in advance of his meeting with the Notification Committee.

Mr. Thacher says in his letter of declination that he had no reason to expect that the convention would commit the party unreservedly to all parts of the Chicago platform and that, since it was known that his views on the financial question had not changed since his utterances at the June convention, he assumed that the nomination was made with the expectation that since the Governor has no official connection with national financial questions he could make the contest on State issues. He did not seek the nomination, but was willing and eager to contend against bossism controlling the public affairs of the State, but in view of circumstances that have occured since the convention feels constrained to decline the nomination.

It is said that Elliot Danforth will be nominated for Governor by the State Committee.

Senator Hill refuses to discuss the declination in any way.

At 1 o'clock the Notification Committee, Thacher and Judge Titus were in secret conference.

CASHIER BUSH NOT GUILTY.

BY UNITED PRESS

BUFFALO, Sept. 26.—The jury in the case of John J. Bush, of Elmira, indicted for irregularities in connection with the defunct Elmira National Bank, of which he was cashier, returned a verdict of not guilty.

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Annual Convention and Rally To-morrow Night—Meetings in Two Churches.

The second semi-annual convention and rally of the Middletown Sunday School Association will be held in St. Paul's Methodist Episcopal Church and the Second Presbyterian Church, Sunday evening, Sept. 27.

The President, Rev. J. W. Norris, will preside at St. Paul's M. E. Church. Second Vice President John McWilliams will preside at the Second Presbyterian Church.

The programme:

7:30—Hymn.
Scripture reading and prayer:
Rev. W. A. Robinson, D. D., at St. Paul's Church.
Rev. Frank A. Heath at the Second Presbyterian Church.
7:40—Address—The Church in the Bible Classes:
Geo. H. Decker at St. Paul's Church.
Wm. B. Royce at the Second Presbyterian Church.
Music.
Address—The Teacher's Influence in Character Building:
Arthur M. Payne at St. Paul's Church.
Josiah H. Cox at the Second Presbyterian Church.
Music and collection.
8:20—Address—The Pastor, the Church and the School:
Rev. Charles Beattie, D. D., at St. Paul's Church.
Rev. F. L. Wilson, D. D., at the Second Presbyterian Church.
Benediction—Elder D. L. Conkling at St. Paul's Church, Rev. G. M. Payne at the Second Presbyterian Church.

The officers are:

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Programme Committee—Rev. J. W. Norris, H. B. Woodward, David E. Lain.

The Sunday Schools of the following churches constitute the association—First Presbyterian, Home School and East Side Chapel; Second Presbyterian; First Congregational; North Street Congregational; First Baptist; Faith Mission; St. Paul's M. E., Home School and North End Mission; A. M. E. Zion; Bethel A. M. E.

A Farewell Reception to Rev. Mr. Ernshaw.

A farewell reception was given Rev. Mr. Ernshaw, who for some time has had charge of the East Side Mission, last evening, at the mission rooms.

A short entertainment was given, consisting of singing and recitations and a pleasant time was had.

H. B. Woodward, superintendent of the Sunday School, in behalf of the school presented Mr. Ernshaw with a purse of money as a token of love and esteem in which he was held.

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE REPORT

JAS. P. TIGHE, Commission Broker, Stern Building, 16 North street, Middletown, N. Y. Stocks, Bonds, Grain and Provisions bought and sold for cash or carried on margin.

NEW YORK, Sept. 26, '96.

	Yesterday Close	To-day Close
Sugar	112⅞	112½
A. T. & S. F.	12⅝	12¾
C. B. & Q.	69⅝	70½
Chicago Gas	62½	62¾
D. L. & W.	—	—
Dis. & Cat. F.	—	—
Erie	13⅝	—
General Electric	29⅛	28⅝
L. & N.	41⅝	42¼
L. S.	—	—
M. P.	20⅝	21¼
N. Y. & N. E.	—	—
N. Y. C.	—	92⅝
N. W.	99⅛	99½
Susquehanna & Western	—	—
Susquehanna & West., pref.	22⅜	23
O. & W.	13¾	13½
Manhattan	88¼	88½
Southern R'y	—	—
P. & R.	18	18
R. I.	62¼	62⅝
C. M. & St. P.	72⅛	73½
C. P.	6⅞	7
W. Union	—	84¾
Nat. Lead	22⅞	22¼
Dec Wheat	67⅛	66⅛
Dec Corn	22¼	22¼
Dec Oats	17⅛	17
Jan Pork	$7 17	$7 15
Jan Lard	4 10	4 10

BIRTHS.

BALDWIN—In this city, Sept. 24th, '96, to Mr. and Mrs. Charles G. Baldwin, a daughter.
CULLINAN—In this city, Sept. 24th, '96, to Mr. and Mrs. T. Frank Cullinan, a daughter.

DIED.

COONEY—In this city, Sept. 26th, '96, Ann, wife of Owen Cooney, formerly of Goshen, aged forty five years.
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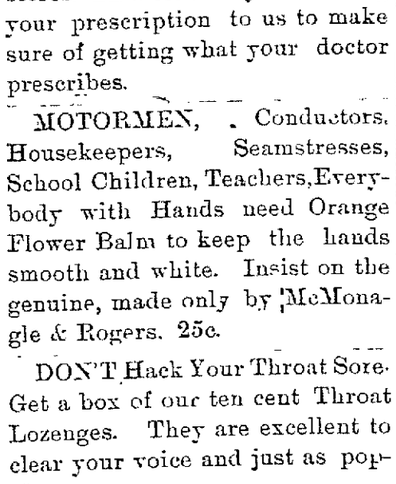

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SATURDAY, SEPT. 26, 1896.

THE TEMPERATURE.

The following was the registry of the thermometer at Pronk's drug store, to-day: 7 a. m., 56°; 12 m., 74°; 3 p. m., 78°.

WEATHER INDICATIONS

BY UNITED PRESS

WASHINGTON, D. C., Sept. 26.—Cloudy to-night; probably fair Sunday; cooler Sunday; southerly winds shifting to northerly.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

—Large assortment fall hats at F. Crawford's.
—Farm stock at auction Thursday, Oct. 1st.
—Dr. Valk will be in town Thursday, Oct 1st
—Adjustable bicycle coupler.
—Bicycle lamp lost
—Willard cook stove for sale.
—Atlantic hams 8 cents at Greening Bros'.
—House to let, 138 West Main street.
—Flower jars at Dayton's
—Crocks and jugs at B. F. Todd's.
—New style framed pictures 98 cents at Hanford & Horton's.
—Ladies' kid shoes $2 at Chas D Hanford's.
—Elgin butter 18 cents at R. H. Ayres'.
—Call at the New Idea Thursday, Friday and Saturday
—New cottage for sale by Edwin S Morrill.
—Electric pianos for sale by Vincent Maggio.
—Weakfish 8 cents a pound at Harford's.

THIRD WARD

Bryan and Sewall Club to Be Organized To-night.

A Bryan and Sewall club will be organized in the Third Ward, this evening. The meeting will be held at 8 o'clock at No. 14 Canal street, opposite the condensery. All voters residing in the ward who favor the free coinage of silver are eligible to membership, regardless of previous party affiliations.

LIVE LOCAL TOPICS.

—"The Man in the Iron Mask" at the Casino to-night.

—The last of the Erie's Sunday excursions to Shohola, will be run to-morrow.

—Don't fail to see Miss Brandon Douglas in "The Man in the Iron Mask" at the Casino to-night.

— The American Girl which will be the attraction at the Casino next Monday evening comes directly from Washington, D. C.

—"In Old Maine" is the name of an excellent comedy drama which will be produced at the Casino next Tuesday evening.

—Work on the Ogden Memorial Library at Walton, which has been so long delayed that many people never expected to see it built, was begun Thursday afternoon.

PERSONAL.

—Mrs. Charles Babcock, of this city, has been visiting friends at Butternut Grove.

—Miss Cora Fancher is visiting friends in New York city and Middletown.—*Walton Reporter.*

—Mrs. E. C. Royce, of Middletown, is the guest of her father, Rev. E. F. Dewey.—*Walton Reporter.*

—Rev. S. M. Cole, of Bridgeville, went to Saratoga Lake to-day to spend his vacation with relatives.

—Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Rae, of Brooklyn, who have been visiting C. Macardell for several days returned home, to-day.

—Mrs. W. H. Tidaback and children, of Jersey City, are visiting at J. W. Hill's, on Prospect avenue.

—Hon. A. P. Blood, of Ballston, N. Y., who has been spending a few days in this city, went to Monticello, this afternoon.

—Mrs. William Bachman has gone to Denning, Ulster Co., having been called there on account of the illness of her mother.

—Mrs. H. P. Powers, of Prospect avenue, who has been spending several weeks with relatives at West Haven, Conn., and Jersey City, returned home to-day.

—Richard Knight who has been here on a few days' visit to his mother, Mrs. W. P Knight, returned to his home at Stockport, Pa., to-day.

—Frank D. Sharp, late of the Elberton House, will leave this afternoon, for Paterson, N. J., where he has accepted a position as clerk in the Mansion House.

—Miss Patton, who has been the guest of Miss Louise Sloat, returned to her home in Plainfield, N. J., this morning. Miss Sloat accompanied her to New York and will visit friends there.

—Mrs. W. W. Taylor, Mrs. Geo. N. Clemson, Miss Maud Davis and Richard W. Clemson went to Port Jervis on train 21, to-day, taking their wheels with them and intending to ride down the Delaware to Milford and return.

—The Fosterdale correspondent of the *Sullivan County Record* notes that Mrs. John Nearing and Mrs. Sela Greene of Middletown are spending a week with friends in that place; also that L. F. Waddell of Middletown is home for a week's visit.

—The Sidney Centre correspondent of the Walton *Reporter* says: Mrs. Charles Beakes has so far recovered as to be able to be out. She intends going to Middletown, Saturday, and will be accompanied by Miss Maud Whitney, who will remain with her this winter.

—Albert Selmer, of Unionville, was in town, to-day. His many friends here will be pleased to learn that he will remove his family to this city next month. He will continue to do business at Unionville where his prospects are very good for next season's trade.

UNDER THE CAR WHEELS.

H. Wisner Mead, of Denton, Fatally Injured at New Hampton—Jumped from a Train Before It Stopped and Fell on the Track—Died in Thrall Hospital at Midnight.

H. Wisner Mead, son of Reuben C. Mead, of Denton, met with a shocking accident, last evening, which resulted in his death at Thrall Hospital at midnight.

He had been visiting his brother in Monticello and boarded train 22 at Port Jervis. The train reached New Hampton at 7:30 o'clock, last evening, and Mr. Mead jumped off before it came to a standstill and fell with his left leg across the rail. The car wheels passed over his thigh so close to the body as to expose his intestines.

No one witnessed the accident and by the merest chance Mr. Mead was discovered lying under the train before it started, or otherwise his body would have been ground to pieces. John McCrea drove up to the station while the train was standing there, and heard a groan and called the attention of Mrs. McVeigh, wife of the agent, who also heard groans and procured a lantern and Mr. McVeigh, Mr. McCrea and others soon discovered the form of a man under the car.

The unfortunate man was conscious and recognizing the voice of Mr. McVeigh called "Jim," and it was then that his identity was discovered and he was taken from under the car as tenderly as possible and carried into the depot. His leg was found several feet from the body, having been completely severed.

A messenger was at once dispatched to notify the young man's father of the accident and he and his housekeeper, Mrs. Barber came to the depot in a few minutes.

Mr. Mead was still conscious. Mrs. Barber remarked: "Poor boy, he was coming home and now he will go home dead." He heard the remark, looked up and said: "No, I'll get well."

There is no physician at New Hampton and whiskey was administered to keep up the man's strength. At Goshen the train was held while a physician was looked for, but none could be found and he was brought to this city. He retained consciousness until a few minutes before death came to relieve his sufferings.

The blow is a severe one to the young man's father. They lived together and since his wife's death he had come to rely upon the son altogether. His grief was pitiable when told that his boy was dead.

The unfortunate man was placed on board the Middletown Express and brought to this city and taken to Thrall Hospital where he died as stated at midnight.

Coroner Decker empaneled a jury who viewed the body, this morning, and the inquest was adjourned to 7:30 o'clock, Monday, at Rochaiellow's undertaking rooms.

Mr. Mead was about thirty-two years old and resided with his father on the farm at Denton. Besides his father he is survived by two brothers, Merrit C. Mead, formerly a merchant, of this city, now a Pullman car conductor on the Erie, and Theo. D. Mead, a merchant of Monticello.

A YOUNG WOMAN'S ESCAPADE.

Hired a Rig for a Few Hours and Kept It a Week While Visiting Friends.

About two weeks ago, a young woman hired a rig of Liveryman Mowell, of Ellenville, for a few hours' drive. She did not return it, and after a week's search, in which a good deal of money was spent, Mr. Mowell chanced to hear that the rig was at Centreville, Sullivan county, and there he recovered it. The young woman, who is only eighteen, had had a fine time with the stolen property visiting friends at Pleasant Lake and elsewhere. She had painted the running gear of the wagon a dirty yellow. She had little idea of the gravity of her offense, and Mr. Mowell declined to prosecute.

A LAW FIRM DISSOLVED.

J. Elmer Melick Leaves Middletown and Will Locate in Chester.

The law firm of Hulse & Melick has dissolved. Mr. Hulse, the senior member, will continue his office in this city. Mr. Melick will locate at Chester in this county.

While Middletown is not lacking in lawyers, we regret to lose one of Mr. Melick's legal ability and attainments.

He has won many warm friends here, and we join them in wishing him continued success in his new field of practice.

GOOD BASS FISHING.

Large Catches Being Made in the Wallkill, Near Denton.

Some excellent catches of black bass were made in the Wallkill River, yesterday. The shores of the canal near Denton were lined with fishermen, all of whom were more or less successful. The heaviest bass caught was one weighing five pounds. Several weighing one pound and a pound and a half were caught, but the majority will weigh from one-quarter to half a pound. Crickets were the favorite bait.

Early Closing Season Ended.

Last night was the last when the stores will be closed at 6 o'clock under the agreement entered into last spring.

You need Hood's Sarsaparilla to enrich and purify your blood, create an appetite and give sweet, refreshing sleep.

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MAN HUNT AT THE SUMMIT.

Officer Tyrrell Fires At a Fugitive—He Is Run Down By An Erie Signal Inspector—The Captive Not the Man Who Was Wanted.

Capt. Gould received word, this morning, that a jewelry store in Port Jervis had been entered by thieves last night and that two men who were supposed to have committed the burglary had boarded an east bound freight train. Officers Tyrrell and Durham were sent to the Summit, but the men were not on the train when it arrived.

A young man was loitering in the vicinity, and when he saw the policemen he started to run. The policemen followed, but the young man was fleet of foot and gained upon his pursurers. Officer Tyrrell fired two shots to scare the fellow, but they had not the desired effect.

The Erie's signal inspector, "Jimmy" Saunders, joined in the chase, and telling Tyrrell to cease fireing, he sprinted after the man and soon caught him.

He was handcuffed and brought to police headquarters where he satisfied the officers that he was not the man wanted by the Port Jervis authorities, and was allowed to go.

THREW RICE TOO VIOLENTLY.

A Port Jervis Woman Perhaps Fatally Injured by a Fall at a Paterson Wedding.

A Mrs. Van Keuren, of Port Jervis, attended the wedding of her nephew in Paterson, Wednesday afternoon. When the bridal party were taking their departure the guests showered them with rice, and Mrs. Van Keuren was throwing a handful of the grain when she slipped and fell violently to the pavement. The fall made her unconscious and a physician found that she had broken one of shoulder blades and had probably fractured her skull. She had not regained consciousness yesterday afternoon, and it is feared that her injuries will result fatally.

THE ASYLUMS' EASY VICTORY.

The Deciding Game in the Series With Goshen Won by a Score of 21 to 12.

The Goshen's were an easy mark for the Asylums, yesterday afternoon, the latter winning by a score of 21 to 12. The printers' battery, Farrell and Agnew, did the work for the Asylums, while Tierney and O'Neal were in the points for Goshen.

The Asylums won two of the three games played in the Goshen series.

A Bicycling Party.

A party of bicyclists left town, on the Erie milk train, this morning, for Port Jervis, where they will mount their wheels and ride to Milford. The party was composed of the following: Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Esmond, Mesdames Towner, Luckey and McBrair, Misses Pillsbury, Pronk, Woodward, Thompson and Cox and Dan. Towner.

Copper, Gold and Silver in Rockland County.

A copper mine has been discovered on the farm of J. Newton Benson, at West Nyack. An assay of the ore shows it to contain 13 per cent. copper. There is also a trace of gold, giving about $1.24 to the ton and silver, $5.69 to the ton. The mine will be operated at once.

Liberal Subscriptions for the Fire Parade.

The committee of citizens appointed to solicit subscriptions for the annual fire parade held a meeting last night. Pledges to the amount of $626 have been received and all who have not paid their subscriptions are requested to do so before next Friday.

State Hospital Milk Contracts Awarded

At a meeting of the Farm and Building Committees of the State Hospital, today, the usual six months' contracts for supplying the institute with milk, were awarded to Egbert S. Arnout, of Wawayanda, and C. E. Sayer, of Westtown.

Going to England.

Rev. C. Symonds, of Port Jervis, will sail Wednesday on the St Paul for Cornwall, England, to visit his mother, who is 76 years old, and will also visit a sister in London. He will be absent six weeks. During his absence the parish will be in charge of the rector of St. John's Church of Monticello.

Recorder's Court.

Christian Hoffman was fined $2, this morning, for calling a neighbor "out of her name."

Cake Sale.

The Ladies' Guild of the First Congregational Church will hold a cake sale at Mrs. Belding's flower store, Franklin Square, on Saturday, Oct. 3d, from 2 to 4 p. m.

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INCIDENTS AND HAPPENINGS IN GOSHEN.

Taken to Middletown for Burial—Sick With Quinsy—Fine Programme for the Vocal Society's First Concert—Alligators in Winter Quarters—The Football Team's Entertainment.

From Our Regular Correspondent.

—The funeral of Mrs. Hannah B. Ryerson was held at 10 o'clock, this morning, from her late home. The remains were interred by the side of her husband in Middletown.

—Daniel Kiernan has been confined to his room for several days past by a severe attack of quinsy sore throat. His illness prevented his taking part in the base ball game between Goshen and the Asylum Reserves, yesterday.

—At the first concert of the Vocal Society for the coming season, on Thursday, Oct. 22, Barnby's "Rebekah," a sacred idyl, will be sung and there will be a miscellaneous programme of mannerchor music and part songs. The society will have the assistance of an enlarged chorus, solo artists and a quartette of strings.

—Two alligators have been taken from the park fountain and placed in the basement of the St. Elmo Hotel.

—Rev. David Evans, rector of Grace Church, Middletown, has very kindly consented to assist at the benefit of the Athletic Society of the Goshen schools, at Music Hall, Tuesday evening, the 29th inst. With Mr. Evans' help, the humorous recitations by Rector Berts and the musical assistance of the ladies the entertainment promises to be a good one.

—Harvey Garner, Goshen's "bad nigger," who was nearly killed in Newburgh, and who is now in the hospital in that city, is reported to be getting along nicely and to be in fair way to recover. It takes more than a rock or a bullet to kill Harvey. He was born for a different fate.

OBITUARY.

Miss Clare Morgans.

Miss Clare, daughter of Mrs. W. T. Morgans, of this city, died at High View, Sullivan county, at 1:40 p. m., to-day, aged seventeen years.

She was taken sick in April last, with typhoid fever and for a long time her life hung in the balance, but she rallied and her friends fondly hoped for her recovery, but complications set in and she began to fail. Two weeks ago she was taken to High View in the hope that the change would be of benefit, but in this her friends were doomed to disappointment. She grew worse day by day and the end came as above stated.

Miss Morgans was a bright and interesting young lady. She was a member of the class of '96 of Wallkill Academy, and would have graduated in June had she retained her health.

She is survived by her mother and the following sisters and brothers: Miss Maud J., principal of the Linden avenue school, Miss Lillian, stenographer and bookkeeper at the *Press* office; Miss Bertha, teacher at the Linden avenue school; Misses May and Edith at home; Floyd W., secretary of the Morgans & Wilcox Manufacturing Co., and Leslie and William T. at home.

The funeral arrangements have not yet been made.

Mrs. Ann Cooney.

Mrs. Ann Cooney died at her home No 7 Summit avenue, at 12 o'clock, Friday, of cancer, after a long illness. She leaves a husband and six children, John, of Paterson, Mary Maggie, Lizzie, Alice and Kittie at home. She was a devoted mother.

McKinley League's Headquarters.

The McKinley League has rented the store room, No. 11 James street, and will open it, Monday, as a campaign headquarters. The room will be supplied with papers and campaign literature.

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One lot Figured Mohair, 38 inches wide, at 29c a yd. One piece 50 inch Brilliantine, worth 60 cents, for 39 cents. Two pieces 42 inch Brilliantine, worth 75 cents, for 48c. Two pieces 46 inch Sicilian, worth $1.25 for $1 a yard. One piece each blue and black 45 inch Serge, cheap at 50c., for 39c a yard.

The largest stock of Dress Goods we have ever shown. 15 pieces new Fancy Weaves at 39c a yard. 25 pieces, the latest effects, at 50c a yard. 15 pieces 45 and 50 inch Suiting at 75c a yard. Exclusive styles in patterns at $1 and $1.25 a yard.

New Capes, New Jackets, New Skirts.

Shoes—Saturday, as usual, $3, $4 and $5 shoes for $1.50 a pair. Ladies' 50c Rubbers at 25c a pair. Gents' $1.25 Slippers at 50c a pair. One case $2 Silkaline Comfortables at $1.50 each. Saturday and Monday All Wool Ingrain Carpet at 45c a yard. Good Oil Cloth at 15c a square yard.

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POOR ITALY.

The Nation Is Impoverished and Threatened with Bankruptcy.

The condition of Italy attracts widespread attention and sympathy. The country is still suffering from the necessities of the position which she has assumed among the nations. Her "unification," consummated nearly 40 years ago, entailed on her enormous expenditures. She needed lines of railway to bind her territories together, and a military display to make her influence effective.

To escape isolation, to hold her own against France and still further to assert herself in the eyes of the world, she joined Germany and Austria in the famous triple alliance. This brought new burdens in its wake. The army was gradually strengthened, and warship was added after war ship, until Italy now maintains the navy of a first-class power.

The effort to build up a "united Italy" disorganized the finances of the country. As the armament increased, the treasury became empty. For years past the nation has had to meet large annual deficits. To raise the needed revenue, taxation has become more and more excessive, both because the amount needed was great, and because, owing to corruption in municipal and national administrations, a part only of the sum collected reached its rightful destination.

Bank scandals, involving the highest statesmen in the land, have aggravated the situation; despair of reaching a solution has furnished new opportunities to the radical and socialistic agitators of the violent type, and not long ago there was an insurrectionary movement in Sicily.

In many ways Italy is only at the beginning of the career which, as a great European power, she seems to have marked out for herself. Her manufactures are poorly developed, as compared with those of the United States, of Great Britain or Germany.

She has a population of artisans and laborers whose wages barely suffice to give them the imperative necessities of life. Hunger or actual starvation prevail over large areas of the territory. The sanitary arrangements of towns are of the most elementary kind. Ignorance is widespread, and there is much illiteracy.

It is also clear that, while the Italians possess qualities that connect them with an interesting and glorious past, they have also inherited some of the less praiseworthy traits of their ancestors.

In their proneness to anger, and the ease with which they commit crimes of violence, the line of descent can be traced—for southern portions of Italy, at any rate—from the earliest period of Roman history down through the middle ages to our own day. The mob that might have been harangued by Cicero in the time of Caesar, or could have understood an oration from the lips of Dante during the struggle between the Guelphs and Ghibelines, is still, in its baser passions, the same mob as that which the other day, on receipt of the news from Abyssinia, proceeded to "smash things up generally."

The return to power of Marquis di Rudini puts an already tried man into a position of acute responsibility, but promises no important change in the policies of the nation. The ferment of the past month, while it revealed the excitability of the populace, showed also the unshaken loyalty of the Italian people to their king.—Youth's Companion.

TESTING STRENGTH OF CABLES.

They Must Be Able to Endure a Great Strain Under All Conditions.

With the increase in the use of high tension, high potential currents, cables are being made of greater strength and efficiency. The copper core, which carries the electricity, is thickly covered with rubber, impregnated jute or other insulating material, and for some purposes not only armored with heavy twisted metal rods, but covered with lead. In this way a cable for very heavy currents may be elaborately brought up to a diameter of two inches or more. The increase in the capacity of cables within the last few years has been extraordinary. When Mr. Ferranti, about six years ago, said he would supply current from the Deptford (London) central station at a voltage of 10,000 he was laughed at by many electricians, who maintained that no insulation could be made efficient enough to withstand the commercial use of such a current. Nowadays such an insulation would be taken as a matter of course, and cables have to stand a much more intense strain. Alexander Siemens recently gave some interesting details of a very complete test to which a large electrical firm had put a cable of their manufacture. They first put it under pressure of 45,000 volts. "But it did not mind," he said. They increased the voltage to 60,000 and left it on for half an hour. But still the cable held out. Then they tried the bending test, and put on 50,000 volts, and it stood it all right. After that they stripped off the lead covering and soaked it in water for 24 hours, and again tried it with 50,000 volts, with the same result. They then put it in a hot room, 160 degrees Fahrenheit, and kept it there for three weeks, after which they increased the temperature to 212 degrees for 24 hours, and they finally tested it with 50,000 volts. But it still held good. After such an ordeal, Mr. Siemens maintained, there need be no fear of the cable standing in India or anywhere else.—Boston Transcript.

An Ancient City.

A prehistoric city, which apparently had a population of over 20,000, was discovered recently in Mexico by J. R. Bailey, an American archeologist. This ancient city is situated in a narrow valley between two high ranges of mountains. Nearly all the buildings are of brown stone, and are in a state of almost perfect preservation.—N. Y. Sun.

—A woman is never quite satisfied in her own mind whether the greatest man in the world is her preacher or her doctor.—Atchison Globe.

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Causes That Brought About the Murder of the Persian Sovereign.

The assassination of Nasr-ed-Din shah of Persia, although doubtless causing a feeling of unpleasant surprise to Englishmen generally, was not entirely unexpected by those who knew the country and its people intimately. While writing I have before me a letter from a well-known resident of Teheran in which a forecast of possible political trouble is given: "The price of corn is going up by leaps and bounds, and much misery prevails among the poor. In the bazars complaints are loud against the government; and, bearing in view the fanaticism of the people, I should not be surprised if a religious disturbance resulted, aimed both against the palace and the hated 'ferenghi.'" The assassination of Nasr-ed-Din is doubtless the outcome of the misery prevailing among the populace; the head of the state being, in the eyes of a Mohammedan people, the fitting object of attack when general misery prevails. It is unlikely, however, that any movement against the foreign population will result, since nowhere is there that bitterness of feeling that prevails on the occasion of the famous tobacco riots, and even on that occasion the military remained uncorrupted.

For a long time past the shah had been taking liberties with the dangers that threatened him. It is always difficult to gauge a sovereign's popularity in a country where the mention of the royal name suffices to produce awe among a superstitious peasantry. But in Teheran and some of the larger town it is certain that the actions of the "Defender of the Faith" had given cause for chagrin. The visits of the monarch to Europe, the reforms instituted at home, especially the Europeanizing of the capital and the introduction of improvements, have one and all been causes of deep resentment to the more powerful "mollahs," and consequently to the populace. The riots that have resulted, such as the outbreak on the Shah Abdul-Azim railway, the tramway imbroglio, and the tobacco riots, have all been expressions of this resentment; and to-day the "mollahs" are as active as ever in their denunciation of the Europeanizing of the native dress and the introduction of western fashions. On every occasion, largely through the influence of Russia, the shah has been on the side of reform and against the religious teachings, and the result undoubtedly has been a general feeling of dissatisfaction.

But the immediate cause of this outbreak of fanaticism—in which assuredly others are implicated besides the Said Reza, whose fate one shudders to contemplate—was undoubtedly the scarcity of provisions. Two causes of this scarcity are the legal exports of corn and the great increase of the copper coinage. It is a very serious offense against the laws of Persia to export grain; yet annually large amounts surreptitiously cross the Russian frontiers, and, in fact, the Russian dealers, protected by their government, practically buy up the corn of the eastern and northwestern provinces before it is grown.

The second cause of the disaster is the large increase of the copper coinage. Unless one has lived in Persia this does not at first sight appeal to us very strongly. In the capital, however, it is a very serious matter. The silver "kran" is there of good quality and weight. The copper metal is very cheap, and the mint makes a huge profit by coining copper for use in the bazars, when its real value is much below the nominal. The result is that the poor are paid in copper of "nominal" value, and discover that its purchasing powers are considerably below nominal. Bread has been rising in price for months past, and the populace have found it increasingly difficult to exist. The general discontent has afforded a splendid field for "patriotic" agitators, and the result is that the "reforming shah" has paid the penalty.—Cor. St. James Gazette.

NIAGARA FALLS NOT NEEDED.

Story of the Clerk Who Had Planned a Wedding Journey Awheel.

The clerk at the middle desk was soon to be married, so the red-haired clerk to his left and the bald-headed clerk to his right were doing all in their power to make his life unbearable.

"Are they going to take a wedding journey?" asked the bald-headed clerk.

"Not this time," said the red-haired one.

"Why not?"

"No funds. He spent it all on candy and theater tickets."

The clerk in the center shifted uneasily on his stool.

"That was foolish," said the bald-headed clerk.

"O, I don't know. He might not have got her otherwise."

"What's the use of having her if he can't carry her around and show her off?"

"He'll have the fun of knowing she's there."

"And they're not even going to the falls?"

"Not even to the falls."

The clerk in the middle raised his head.

"I've bought a couple of bicycles," he said, quietly, "and we rather expect the falls to come to us."—Chicago Tribune.

Inventors Rewarded.

During the present century several money grants have been made by the crown to inventors and discoverers, whose labors were deemed of advantage to the public. To Dr. Jenner, for his discovery of vaccination in 1802, £50,000 was given, and in 1807 $10,000. Dr. Cartwright received $50,000 and Mr. Crompton $10,000 for their various mechanical inventions; Mr. Palmer in 1813, $25,000 and an annuity of $15,000 for his plan of conveying the mails; and Mr. Harrison for his chronometer, $10,000. Since that time many grants have been made to arctic explorers and others.—Chicago Tribune.

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THE People of the State of New York to all persons interested in the estate of George E. Gillen, assigned to George H. Decker for the benefit of creditors, send greeting:

You and each of you are hereby cited and required personally to be and appear at a term of the County Court of Orange county, to be holden at the Court House, in the village of Goshen, N. Y., on the twenty fourth day of November, 1896, at eleven o'clock a. m., there and then to show cause why a final settlement of the accounts of the above named George H. Decker, as assignee of the above named George E. Gillen, for benefit of creditors, should not be had, and if no cause be shown, then to attend the final settlement of said assignee's account.

In testimony, whereof, I have hereunto caused the seal of said County Court to be [L. S.] hereunto affixed. Witness Hon. John J. Beattie, County Judge of Orange county, this 28th day of August, 1896.

W. G. TAGGART, Clerk.

JOHN F. BRADNER, Attorney for Assignee. dMon5Sept26

NOTICE TO CREDITORS—In pursuance of an order of Hon. John J. Beattie, County Judge of Orange county, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against Jonathan T. Robertson, lately doing business in the city of Middletown, N. Y., to present the same, with the vouchers thereof duly certified, to the subscriber, Patrick Dougherty, who has been duly appointed assignee of said Jonathan T. Robertson, for the benefit of his creditors, at his office, 65 Cottage street, in the city of Middletown, N. Y., on or before the 20th day of November, 1896.

Dated Middletown, N. Y., Sept. 1st, 1896.

PATRICK DOUGHERTY, Assignee.

M. J. DONOVAN, Attorney for Assignee. dWed7Oct14

IN Pursuance of an order of the Surrogate of the county of Orange, notice is hereby given according to law, to all persons having claims against the estate of Orville Spellman, late of the city of Middletown, in said county, deceased that they are required to present the same, with the proper vouchers therefor, to the subscribers the executors of the last will and testament of said deceased at the office of George H. Decker No. 16 East Main street, in the city of Middletown, N. Y., on or before the 20 day of November next.

Dated Middletown, N. Y., April 20th 1896.

PATRICK DOUGHERTY, } Executors.
JOHN P. McCLANCY, }

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STATE OF NEW YORK, Office of the Secretary of State,

ALBANY, August 1, 1896.

Pursuant to the provisions of section seven, chapter one hundred and forty-one of the Laws of eighteen hundred and ninety-six, notice is hereby given that the following proposed amendment to section seven, article seven of the Constitution of the State of New York, will be submitted to the people of said State, for the purpose of voting thereon at the next general election in this State, to be held on the third day of November, eighteen hundred and ninety-six.

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.

CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO SECTION SEVEN OF ARTICLE SEVEN OF THE CONSTITUTION, RELATING TO THE FOREST PRESERVE.

The People of the State of New York represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:

SECTION 1. Resolved (if the Assembly concur) That section seven of article seven of the constitution be amended so as to read as follows:

§ 7. The lands of the state, now owned or hereafter acquired, constituting the forest preserve as now fixed by law, shall be forever kept as wild forest lands. Except as authorized by the section, they shall not be leased, sold or exchanged, or be taken by any corporation, public or private, nor shall the timber thereon be sold, removed or destroyed. The Legislature may authorize the leasing for such term as it may by law fix, of a parcel of not more than five acres and in the forest preserve to any one person for temporary cottage purposes. The Legislature may also authorize the exchange of lands owned by the State, situate outside the forest preserve for lands not owned by the State situate within the forest preserve. The Legislature may also authorize the sale of lands belonging to the State, situate outside the forest preserve, but the moneys so obtained shall not be used except for the purchase of lands situate within the forest preserve, and which, when so purchased, shall become a part of the forest preserve.

§ 2. Resolved (if the Assembly concur), That the foregoing amendment be referred to the Legislature to be chosen at the next general election of Senators, and that in conformity to section one, article fourteen of the constitution, to be published for three months previous to the time of such election.

STATE OF NEW YORK: IN SENATE, April 23, 1896.

This bill was duly passed, a majority of all the Senators elected voting in favor thereof, three fifths being present.

By order of the Senate,
CHARLES T. SAXTON, President

STATE OF NEW YORK, IN ASSEMBLY, April 29, 1896.

This bill was duly passed a majority of all the members elected to the Assembly voting in favor thereof, three-fifths being present.

By order of the Assembly,
HAMILTON FISH, Speaker.

State of New York, Office of the Secretary of State, ss:

I have compared the preceding copy of concurrent resolution proposing an amendment to article seven section seven of the Constitution, with the original thereof at present in this office, and I do hereby certify that the same is a correct transcript therefrom, and of the whole thereof.

Given under my hand and the seal of office of the Secretary of State, in the city of Albany, this first day of August in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six.

[L. S.] JOHN PALMER, Secretary of State.

The foregoing Concurrent Resolution is published once a week for three months next preceding the next general election in conformity to the aforesaid provisions, in two public newspapers in each county in this State representing respectively the two political parties polling the highest number of votes at the last general election, and in one additional newspaper in each county for every one hundred thousand people in such county as shown by the last preceding State Enumeration.

JOHN PALMER, Secretary of State.

FORM FOR SUBMISSION OF AMENDMENT.

Shall the proposed amendment to section seven of article seven of the Constitution relating to the forest preserve become a law?

JOHN PALMER, Secretary of State.

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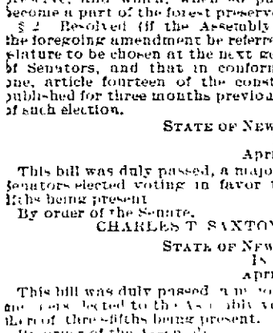

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IN Pursuance of an order of the Surrogate of the county of Orange, notice is hereby given, according to law, to all persons having claims against the estate of Michael H. Dugan, late of the city of Middletown, in said county, deceased, that they are required to present the same, with the proper vouchers thereof, to the subscriber, the executrix of the last will and testament of said deceased, at her residence, No. 31 Beattie avenue, in said city, on or before the 13th day of November, 1896.

Dated Middletown, N. Y., May 11th, 1896.

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MARY E. DUGAN, Executrix.

CADET JOHNNIE SULLIVAN.

A West Point Boy Who Is In No Great Danger of Being Hazed.

Speaking of the recent "hazing" outbreak at the United States military academy, West Point, in which several plebes or members of the entering class were rather roughly used, one of the prominent members of the Southern Athletic club said the other day:

"Well, you can just bet any of your spare coin that those 'hazers' will not tackle one little plebe; that is, if they know when they are well off. You know who I mean; Cadet John P. Sullivan. Will they haze him? I don't think."

And the sportive club man smiled knowingly as he thought of the havoc that might be wrought in the ranks of the cadet corps should any attempt be made to impose upon his popular associate.

The other members present agreed unanimously with the speaker's views, and some suggested that if any attempts were made to haze "little Johnny" the custom might be brought to a sudden stop. Those interested in athletics in New Orleans will recognize the significance of the remarks when they bring to mind the great hammer thrower and weight tosser of the Southern Athletic club, who for the past few years has held the record for the south.

John P. Sullivan, who is a cadet at West Point, is no little boy, although young in years. He stands over six feet and weighs a little over 200 pounds. Every muscle in his brawny body is trained to great development, and his feat of hurling a 16-pound hammer 110 feet stamps him as one of the strong men of the country. Cadet Sullivan has also had several years' training in the gentle game of football, and he is well able to take care of himself in any and all situations. Moreover, he is a very good boxer. Take it all in all, Cadet Sullivan bids fair to make a most efficient army officer; one who can fight when necessity comes. Meanwhile his club mates in New Orleans are waiting to hear of the casualties when some of the swell-headed upper class men attempt to haze "little Johnnie."

It is, perhaps, needless to add that in the list of this year's plebes who have suffered the indignities of hazing the name of Cadet Sullivan will not appear. There are reasons.—New Orleans Democrat.

Life Influence.

A larger part of our lives than we are apt to suppose is the direct outcome of the habits of those around us. Unconsciously we think and speak and act as others do, and our standards of what is right and proper, beautiful or good, are formed from theirs. As the child emerges from the home into school, or the youth from his native place to another, he finds, to his astonishment, that there are other customs maintained, other standards upheld, other views entertained than those which he had supposed to be universal. This revelation often comes with a shock to his mind and a quick displeasure at the foreign intrusion. But gradually this passes into a better understanding of the new custom and a thoughtful comparison between it and his own. His mind is thus widened, his thinking faculties are awakened, his prejudices are shaken up, and the peaceful conflict gives him strength and independence.—N. Y. Ledger.

—We all have strings to us which some one else is pulling. — Atchison Globe.

A Titled Suicide.

Daughters of earls do not often commit suicide in England. Lady Mary Bligh, the 28-year-old daughter of the earl of Darnley and sister of Hon. Ivo Bligh, a famous Oxford cricket captain, walked down to a pond on her father's estate, Cobham hall, in Kent, took off her clothes except a combination garment, folded them neatly, then jumped into the water and drowned herself. The coroner told the jury that he "thought they would agree" that no lady in a state of sanity would divest herself of her clothing in the manner described. The evidence was that she had had bad headaches for some time previous, and there are rumors of an unhappy love affair.—N. Y. Sun.

No Wonder.

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27—North and John streets, Erie crossing.
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29—W. Main street, corner Monhagen avenue.
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An Important Question.

If your friends or neighbors are suffering from coughs, colds, sore throat, or any throat or lung disease (including consumption), ask them if they have ever used Ott's Cure. This famous German remedy is having a large sale here and is performing some wonderful cures of throat and lung diseases. J. J. Chambers will give you a sample bottle free. No matter what other medicines have failed to do, try Ott's Cure. Large packages 25 cents and 50 cents.

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For Infants and Children.

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for a case of catarrh that cannot be cured, amounts to nothing except to sell an article. Do you know of any such reward being paid? Ely Bros. do not promise rewards in order to sell their well-known "Cream Balm." They offer the most effective medicants, prepared in convenient form to use, which is absolutely free from mercurials or other harmful drugs.

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Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup has been used by millions of mothers for their children while teething. If disturbed at night and broken of your rest by a sick child suffering and crying with pain of Cutting Teeth send at once and get a bottle of "Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup" for Children Teething. It will relieve the poor little sufferer immediately. Depend upon it, mothers, there is no mistake about it. It cures Diarrhœa, regulates the Stomach and Bowels, cures Wind Colic, softens the gums, reduces Inflammation, and gives tone and energy to the whole system. "Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup" for children teething is pleasant to the taste, and is the prescription of one of the oldest and best female physicians and nurses in the United States. Price twenty-five cents a bottle. Sold by all druggists throughout the world. Be sure and ask for "Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup."

Many a day's work is lost by sick headache, caused by indigestion and stomach troubles, DeWitt's Little Early Risers are the most effectual pill for overcoming such difficulties. W. D. Olney.

If you have ever seen a little child in the agony of summer complaint, you can realize the danger of the trouble and appreciate the value of instantaneous relief always afforded by DeWitt's Colic & Cholera Cure. For dysentery and diarrhœa it is a reliable remedy. We could not afford to recommend this as a cure unless it were a cure. W. D. Olney.

The whole system is drained and undermined by indolent ulcers and open sores. DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve speedily heals them. It is the best pile cure known. W. D. Olney.

NEW YORK, ONTARIO AND WESTERN RAILWAY.

Time Table in Effect Sept. 13th, 1896.

NORTH BOUND.

STATIONS.	Miles	Mail & Exp	Accom	Exp	Buffalo & Chicago Limited
N. Y. Leave		A M	M	P M	P M
Franklin St	3	8 21	7 49	3 0	4 15
W. 42d St.,	2	8 31	7 55	3 15	4 30
Weehawken	4	8 38	8 10	3 20	4 4
Cornwall	5	10 0	9 45	5 08	6 0
W Cornwall	1	10 19	10 3	5 08	
Ort's Mills	10	10 55	10 55	5 10	
Little Britain	5	11 10	11 5	5 23	
Burnside	6	11 36	11 36	5 34	
Campbell H	7	11 50	11 52	5 46	6 30
Stony Ford	7	12 15	12 24	5 41	
M'town					
Main St.	7	12 38	12 47	5 58	
M'town Jct ar	7	12 40	12 45	6 00	6 46
M'town Jct lv	6	12 45	1 55	6 30	6 56
Winterton	9	1 10	1 19	6 25	
Bloomingburgh	9	1 15	1 25	6 30	
Wurtsboro	9	1 26	1 39	6 51	
Summitville	9	1 35	1 50	6 45	
Ellenville ar	10	2 00	2 15	7 05	
Ellenville lv					13
Fallsburgh	10	2 12	2 28	7 20	
Hurleyville	10	2 32	2 42	7 27	
Liberty Falls	11	2 45	2 57	7 38	
Liberty	11	2 50	3 12	7 44	8 07
Parksville	11	2 55	3 17	7 50	
Livingston Manor	12	3 05	3 32	8 05	8 30
Rockland	12	3 15	3 42	8 20	
Hancock Jct	13	3 20	3 50	8 27	9 19
Walton		3 35	4 5	8 42	9 38
Sidney Center		3	4	8	9
Sidney		3 47	4 17	8 20	9 25
N'rwich ar		4	4 30	8 35	9 57
N'rwich lv		4	4 35	8 40	10 02
Oneid'a Castle		6 06	9 1		10 35
Oneida ar		6	9	9 15	12 40
Oneida lv		6	5	9 25	
Fulton		7 57	11 8		2 0
Oswego ar		8 2	11 30		2 30
		P M	M	A M	A M

SOUTH BOUND.

STATIONS.	6 New York Exp	12 Delhi Local	14 Delhi Ex	50 Day Exp	2
	P M	P M	A M	A M	
Oswego lv	12 30		7 45	6 45	
Oneida ar			12 22	8 40	
Oneida lv	2 11		1	8	
Oneid'a Castle		P M	1 15	8 58	
Norwich ar	3 24	7 26	5 15	10 37	
Norwich lv	3 29	7 41	P M	10 42	
St Roy	4 20	8 45		11 40	
Sidney Center		9 02		11 57	
Walton	5 0	12 15	9 35	12 27	
Hancock Jct	5 35	1 20		1 20	
Rockland		2 35	6 00	2 10	
Livingston Manor	6 47	3 00	6 11	2 55	
Parksville		3 6	6 25	2 37	
Liberty	6 48	3 25	6 26	2 51	
Liberty Falls		3 41	6 41	3 35	
Hurleyville		4 01	6 56	3 06	
Fallsburgh	7 06	4 19	6 57	3 14	
Centreville		4 30	7 04	3 30	
Mountain D.		4 39	7 10	3 25	
Summitville		5 15	7 25	3 45	
Wurtsboro		5 25	7 33	3 52	
Bloomingburgh		5 2	7 48	3 57	
Winterton		5 40	7 48	4 2	
M'town ar	8 00	6 15	8 10	4 21	
M'town lv	8 10	6 45	8 10	4 30	
M'town Main St.		6 48	8 12	4 33	
Stony Ford		7 15	8 21	4 46	
Campbell H.		7 3	8 31	4 52	
Burnside		7 38	8 36	5 17	
Little Britain		7 59	8 46	5 08	
Orr's Mills		8 15	8 59	5 19	
W Cornwall		8 30	8 55	5 21	
Cornwall	8 59	8 31	9 0	5 25	
Weehawken	10	0 11	0 10	7 00	
New York W. 42d St.,	10	0 20	11 15	7 10	
N. Y. Franklin St	10	0 45	11 20	7 25	
	P M	P M	M	P M	

* Runs daily, all other trains daily except Sunday.

† Signifies that trains will stop on signal for passengers.

n Signifies that trains will stop for or to leave New York passengers only.

* Stop for meals.

Trains leave Hancock Junction 6.10 a. m. and 2.05 p. m., for Scranton, Carbondale and intermediate stations.

Trains leave Scranton 10.55 a. m. and 3.25 p. m., for Hancock Junction.

Trains leave Summitville for Ellenville 9.40 and 11.30, a. m., 3.50 and 6.45 p. m.

Trains leave Ellenville for Summitville 7.00 and 10.50 a. m., 3.05 and 5.05 p. m.

Trains leave Walton for Delhi 7.20 and 11.00 a. m., *4.0 p. m.

Trains leave Delhi for Walton 7.00 and 11.00 a. m., *2.15 and 5.50 p. m. Sunday only 9.15 a. m.

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For further particulars see local card.

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In effect Sept. 21st, 1896.

NORTH	Daily a m	Daily ex Sun p m	Sun p m
New York	8 30		
Jersey City	8 46		
Hackensack	9 34		
Paterson (Broadway)	9 56		
Paterson	9 52		
Two Bridges	10 32	3 00	
Ogdensburg	11 07	4 16	
Franklin	11 12	4 26	
Hamburg	11 26	4 42	
Beckertown	11 29	4 45	
Quarryville	11 36	4 52	
Unionville	11 44	4 57	
Westtown	11 49	5 02	
Johnson	11 55	5 08	
State Hill	12 00	5 13	
Middletown	12 12	5 19	

SOUTH	Daily ex Sun a m	Daily p m
Middletown	8 30	5 45
State Hill	8 42	5 57
Johnson	8 47	6 02
Westtown	8 53	6 08
Unionville	8 59	6 14
Quarryville	9 06	6 25
Beckertown	9 14	6 33
Hamburg	9 22	6 42
Franklin Junction	9 27	6 49
Franklin	9 29	6 49
Ogdensburg	9 34	6 54
Two Bridges	9 51	7 10
Paterson	9 05	7 30
Paterson (Broadway)	10 05	7 33
Hackensack	10 16	7 46
Jersey City	10 38	8 11
New York	10 53	8 23

† Stop on signal.

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TIME TABLE ADOPTED JUNE 14, 1896.

Eastern Time.	12	10	5	27	15	11	83	9	1	21	17	25	7	29	8	30	6	2	28	38	26	15	10	5	27	83	11	9	1	21	17	25	7	29	8	30	6	2	28	38	26	14	10	5	27	83	11	9	1	21	17

WANT ASSESSMENTS REDUCED.

Certiorari Proceedings Begun Against Forestburgh's Assessors by Owners of Hartwood Lands.

Judge W. H. Crane, of Port Jervis, acting for himself and three other owners of 3,350 acres of land near Hartwood, and for the Hartwood Club, of which he is president, and which owns 2,848 acres, on which there are a large club house and five or six cottages, has begun certiorari proceedings against the assessors of the town of Forestburgh to secure a review of the assessments on the properties named.

On Judge Crane's application the assessment on the park property was reduced on grievance day from $7,000 to $5,000 and on the property of Crane & Co. from $3,000 to $2,500. Mr. Crane is not satisfied, however, and claims that the assessment is inequitable, other wild lands in the town being assessed at fifty cents an acre, while farms are assessed at only one-sixth or one-tenth of their value.

The assessors say that there is marketable timber on the tracts in which Mr. Crane is interested and that the buildings and improvements cost about $25,000, and that the assessments under the circumstances are very low.

A STURDY SET OF WORKERS.

Postal Telegraph Linemen and the Way in Which They Live.

From the Monticello Watchman.

A sturdy set of workers, eleven in number, are the men employed on the Postal Telegraph line through this town. They are all powerful and sinewy fellows and have to be to do the work they follow ~~for ten or eleven hours daily.~~ Their duty is to place new poles where those in use are rotten, to dig new holes for the old poles, when they are sound and reset them, and to place the cross bars that support the wires in position. They receive $35 a month and "found." They camp out on a vacant village lot, their food is cooked by one of the party, and they seem to enjoy their life. Their place of destination is New York city which they expect to reach in about eighteen months. They left Olean three years ago, and have been at work winter and summer since.

A GREAT IMPROVEMENT.

A Large Waiting Room at the Goshen Terminus of the Electric Road—Express Service by the Trolley.

S. P. Dusenberry has purchased the building occupied by him at the terminus of the electric road in Goshen and will remodel it and provide a larger waiting room which will be heated and lighted with electricity by the Traction Co.

The *Independent* says that arrangements are being made with the Adams Express Co. for the establishment of express business between Goshen and Middletown and Mr. Dusenberry will have charge at the Goshen end the line.

FARMERS' HEARTS MADE GLAD.

Big Crops Reward the Toil of Delaware County Farmers.

From the Walton Reporter.

Never has there been such a large crop of corn raised in this section as this season, and except in a few places where the late frosts have injured it somewhat it has been harvested in fine condition. The potato crop, while not yielding so large as last year, is above the average, and apples there is no end to. Many trees have broken down under the load and hundreds of bushels will go to waste.

Last Mary Powell Excursion of the Season.

The last Mary Powell excursion this season will be run by the Ontario and Western, Thursday next, Oct. 1st. Train will leave Wickham avenue at 7 a. m. and Main street, 7:02. Returning will leave Mary Powell dock, Desbrosses street, New York, at 3:15, and West 22nd street, 3:30 p. m. The most charming inland water trip on the American continent.

Low Prices for Cows at Chattle Mortgage Sale.

Twenty-four cows belonging to William Knapp, of near the Gateschool house, were sold at auction, yesterday, under foreclosure of a chattle mortgage. Albert Knapp was the mortgagees' agent and M. Landy was auctioneer. The cows were a fine lot, most of them Belted Dutch, but the prices realized were not large the dairy averaging only $23.23 per head.

A Lost Child.

Edith, the ten-year-old daughter of Mr and Mrs. Jos. Allen, of Carpenter's Point, went out to play, Wednesday afternoon, and had not been seen or heard of up to yesterday afternoon. The child's parents are almost distracted.

A Very Sensible Idea.

The officials of the town of Warwick have substituted the word "retired" for "gentleman" in making their jury lists. Evidently Warwick officials do not believe that the only gentlemen in their town are those who are living on their incomes. The example is a good one.

Phœnix's Parade Carriage Ready for the Parade.

W. D. Tallman, a member of Phœnix Engine Company, has just completed revarnishing and striping that company's parade carriage. The work was done at the expense of the company.

HOOD'S PILLS cure Liver ills, Biliousness, Indigestion, Headache. Easy to take, easy to operate. 25c.

OVER THE SHAWANGUNKS.

WHAT OUR NEIGHBORS IN SULLIVAN COUNTY ARE DOING.

All the News from All Parts of the County—Many Matters of Interest Condensed from Our Sullivan Exchanges and Contributed by Wide Awake Correspondents.

—The body of the unknown man found along the O. and W. tracks in Smith Hill cut, near Hurleyville, Sept. 17th, was buried without identification. The man was five feet, ten inches in height, had light brown hair and moustache and was well dressed.

—A nice question of law is raised in the case of Lawrence Mullen against the town of Rockland. The Appellate Division of the Supreme Court affirmed the judgment of $500 obtained by plaintiff and denied the right of appeal to the Court of Appeals. This was done under a law passed last winter which applies to all judgments rendered after May 12, but which does not affect those rendered prior to that date. The Mullen case was decided May 4th, but formal judgment was not entered until June 3d. Counsel for the town will ask the Court of Appeals to pass on the town's right to appeal under the circumstances.

—The trustees of Liberty village have called a special election to vote on the resolution which calls for a tax of one-third of one per cent. to "meet the expense of building suitable approaches to the new bridges on Main, Clements and School streets, and to repair damages caused by washouts."

—The Highway Commissioners have signed the required papers to put the new road through between Youngsville and Livingston Manor. D. T. Eastman has been making considerable road along the new route and only three miles of road remains to be constructed towards Youngsville.—*Record.*

—A cow belonging to Andrew Ebert, of Fall Mills, was eating with her head through a barbed wire fence, during the shower on the night of Sept. 18th. Lightning struck the fence and following the wire entered the cow's head, killing her instantly.

—Invitations are out for the marriage of G. Lewis McLaughlin to Miss Grace Ennis, Oct. 7th, at the Methodist Church, Monticello, at 8 o'clock, p. m. The ceremony will be followed by a reception at the home of the bride. The contracting parties are two of Monticello's most popular young people and the wedding will be a notable event.—*Republican.*

—The Democratic County Convention will be held at Monticello, Oct. 3d. The Republican convention will be held Sept. 29th.

—Barney, a valuable horse belonging to Miss Mary Calbreath, of White Lake, was kicked on the head by another horse while it was being led from the stall and died in less than two minutes.

—A movement is on foot in Liberty to organize a home for aged men and women.

—Mrs. Ada Maffett has been appointed matron of the Loomis sanitarium at Liberty.

—Forty cents a bushel is the ruling price for potatoes at Livingston Manor.

—The *Ensign* is reliably informed that certain parties in the vicinity of Livingston Manor are at their old tricks snaring partridges.

—Pearl, the five-year-old daughter of Jesse Huggins, of Livingston Manor, heated her mother's curling iron, Tuesday, and while attempting to curl her hair, struck her left eye with the hot iron, burning it so badly that Dr. DeKay, who was called, fears she will lose the sight of the eye.

—Frank Geraghty, of Monticello, had twenty-nine poultry entries at the Ellenville fair and secured nineteen first premiums, eight second premiums and one third premium.

—The academic department of Monticello's public school has been designated to instruct a teachers' training class.

—The town of Neversink fair held at Grahamsville, Wednesday, was the most successful held by the Association in the twenty-five years of its existence. There were 1,107 entries and the attendance was at least 2,500.

—John S. Robinson, who three years ago bought the Ruddick property in the town of Forestburgh and organized the Rod and Gun Club which came to grief, the property having been sold at mortgage sale, last summer, committed suicide in New York, last week. Financial troubles are supposed to have been the cause of the act. Mr Robinson's wife was a niece of ex-Gov. Flower.

MISS BRANDON DOUGLAS.

To Appear, To-night, in "The Man in the Iron Mask."

Miss Brandon Douglas will at the Casino Theatre, to-night, as Marie D'Ostanger in Donald Robertson's dramatization of Dumas' novel, "The Man in the Iron Mask."

Miss Douglas is a woman with a brain, not a "New Woman" by any means, but a thorough student of whatever subject she takes up. Her costumes, which are marvels of beauty, were designed by herself and executed under her personal direction by Redfern, of New York. Her ability as an actress has been proven, and we await with great interest her appearance here in a role, which we feel sure she will play powerfully.

It doesn't matter much whether sick headache, biliousness, indigestion and constipation are caused by neglect or by unavoidable circumstances, DeWitt's Little Early Risers will cure them all. W. D. Olney.

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For "Secreting a Field of Corn."

A Greene county farmer has been held in $50 bail for "secreting a field of corn." There was a chattel mortgage on the crop and the farmer cut the corn and hauled it to another field and thus, as a lawyer convinced a justice of the peace, committed the apparently impossible offense of "secreting a field of corn."

Turf and Horse Notes

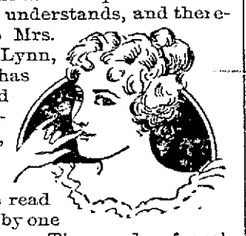
—Legene was the winner of the 2:20 class at Mineola, yesterday, in straight heats. Best time 2:19¼.

ASKING QUESTIONS.

It Is a Woman's Prerogative, and She Uses It.

Timely Questions and Prompt Answers Have Resulted in Great Satisfaction to Many Women.

Sensitive women hate to ask their physicians those delicate questions that only a woman understands, and therefore write to Mrs. Pinkham, at Lynn, Mass., as she has ever proved their most accurate adviser, and knowing that their letters will be read and answered by one of their own sex. Thousands of such letters have been received within a few months from those afflicted with the various forms of female diseases, and it is needless to say the answers have brought comfort and relief.



That sense of dragging in the groin, dull pains in small of back, retention, suppression of menses, bearing-down pains, headache, nervousness, blues, etc., are symptoms that require prompt measures.

The cure is, in most cases, rapid. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound should be promptly taken, and Mrs. Pinkham will furnish any advice required, free. Following is another letter of thanks:—

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—Mrs. George Nehbross, Crittendon, Erie Co., N. Y.

TO QUICK BUYER—$175 gets a new cottage on Genung street, near Sprague avenue. EDWIN S. MERRILL, Attorney at Law, No. 16 East Main street.

RECEIVED To-day—A fine lot Weakfish to sell at 8 cents per pound, at HARFORD'S Market. All kinds fresh fish cheap. 1t

THE MISSES PORTER'S English and Classical Boarding and Day School, Kindergarten, Primary, Academic and College Preparation, Specialists in Elocution, Languages, Music and Art. Reopens Sept. 30th. Corner Highland avenue and Prospect street, Middletown. 6bdtf

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DR. C. THIMME, Dentist over J. E. Swalm's grocery store, No. 12 East Main street. dtf

BICYCLE LAMP Lost, Wednesday. Finder please leave at ARGUS office. 1t

DR. FRANCIS VALK will be at Dr. T. D. Mills' office, Thursday, Oct. 1st. 1tw&d26

BIG Line of Fans, Sailors and Walking Hats at close prices. 1t FRANK CRAWFORD, 15 West Main St.

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WILLARD No. 8 Cook Stove, with tank, nearly new; several Rochester lamps and a Russian coon skin carriage robe, all cheap at the EXCHANGE AND MART CO., No. 48 East Main street.

CHATTEL MORTGAGE Sale—The undersigned, as mortgagee, will sell at auction, on Thursday, Oct. 1st, at 10 o'clock a. m., at the farm of Jeremiah Whelan, about 3½ miles from Middletown, just off Mount Hope road, cows, horses, hay, straw, grain, all farming utensils, etc. 1twd26 EDWARD AYERS.

CONKLING Adjustable Bicycle Coupler—Will connect any two bicycles. Desirable for safety, learners, company, and for decoration in parade. Oak coupler, four pounds, $5. N. E. CONKLING & CO., 57 West Main street. Agents for Riess coupler, tubing, nickeled, nine pounds, $20. 1t

M. C. FREER has opened a painting and paper hanging business at 83 Wisner avenue. All work guaranteed to be satisfactory. Prices very reasonable. 54dlyFeb6 M. C. FREER.

SEALED Proposals will be received, on or before Oct. 6th, 1896, by the undersigned, for the construction of an annex to the Old Ladies' Home, situated on South street, Middletown, N. Y. Plans and specifications may be seen at No. 21 Orchard street, Middletown, N. Y. The committee reserves the right to reject any and all bids. By order of the Building Committee. 48d2t JULIA E. BRADNER, Chairman.

CLAIRVOYANT—PROF. W. H. SAGENDORF, Clairvoyant, will remain at the Holding House, 20 East Main street, from Sept. 18th until Sept 28th. Absent from Saturday noon until Monday noon. 19d&wamNov21

EXTRACTING with gas 50c., odontunder 50c No charge for extracting when artificia teeth are to be inserted. Best teeth $6, $8 and $10 a set. Twenty years' experience. 99d&wtf DR. ROBINSON, 44 and 46 James St.

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